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NODAWAY FALLS; DID MUCH DAMAGE

NOT PASSABLE BRIDGE BETWEEN BURLINGTON AND IOWA.

TRAFFIC TIED-UP AND LANDS FLOODED

Skidmore Mail Carriers Unable to Make Routes—Roads Impassable—.. Higher Than Last Fall.

After being on a rampage since last Sunday, in which time several bridges in Nodaway county have been either washed away or damaged, lowlands flooded and roads made impassable, the Nodaway river is slowly receding, according to reports from along that stream.

At Braddyville, Ia., the river had fallen between six and eight feet and was almost within its banks again, at Clearmont had fallen four feet, at Burlington Junction had fallen one foot, and at Skidmore was on a standstill at noon today, according to reports received by The Democrat-Forum from these river points.

But the damage the week's flood had done, aided by drifts of logs and ice, is just becoming fully known. In fact, the real injury done to the numerous wooden trestles or bridges across the new channel of the Nodaway river was underestimated until the water had receded some, when real conditions became known.

Believe Worst is Over.

But it is generally felt along the entire stream that the crest has been reached and that within forty-eight hours the river will be within its banks in its meanderings through Nodaway county, if no further thaws or rains come.

The true condition can be judged from this report from Clearmont: "There is not a single bridge spanning the Nodaway river between Burlington Junction and the Iowa line that is now passable." Further explanation brings out that even where a bridge was not made impassable by weakening, the river had flooded it or the road leading to it to such a depth that it was unsafe to risk trying to travel across.

Foot Higher Than Last Fall.

The Burlington Junction bridge across the Nodaway river is reported in good condition, but that on account of flood waters on each side is still impassable. At Skidmore comes the same report, that the steel bridge spanning the river there is safe but that from four to five feet of water floods the roads on each side.

At Skidmore the rural mail carriers have had to abandon or change their routes, according to William Linville, cashier of the Bank of Skidmore. He reports the river there as fully a foot higher than it was during the crest of the flood last fall. This would make it higher than for the last two years at least.

Platte and 102 Receding.

Much of the bottom land along the Nodaway river is under from one to six feet of water, but this is causing little damage, it is said. One of the damages done by the flood waters was to destroy the large dam on the William Carter farm, four miles south of Burlington Junction. It was built two years ago and withstood the floods of last fall.

The formation of an ice jam above the steel bridge which the Wabash railroad is constructing between Burlington Junction and Dawson, also helped to overflow more lowlands there. It finally was dynamited and broken up, but not before some damage was done through its agencies.

The Wabash railroad officials here reported this afternoon that the Nodaway river flood had not done any damage to the bridge there nor had caused any delay in train service.

Reports this afternoon from along the Platte river are that the stream is slowly falling, but that some of the roads leading across it and the lowlands are flooded. The water is deep enough running over the north bridge, west of Ravenwood, yet today to make traffic that way impossible. The 102 river is still falling also.

DISCUSS A BRIDGE CHANGE

County Court, Engineer, Contractors Meet at Elmo Today, Relative to Improvement.

Members of the county court, County Highway Engineer John Clary, and a number of bridge constructors went to Elmo this morning to confer this afternoon relative to placing a steel bridge across the Nodaway river channel between Elmo and Clearmont. It would be taken from the old river bed, two miles west of Clearmont. A wooden trestle would be erected to replace it at the old channel.

The necessity of taking some action as quickly as possible is further brought about through the fact that the temporary wooden trestle over the channel at that point was washed out in the Nodaway flood this week. It was saved from washing entirely away by a cable. The wrecking of the Clearmont-Elmo structure resulted when a bridge washed out at Braddyville and was swept down stream and against the Clearmont span.

It later washed down near the Wabash bridge at Burlington Junction, where it has been recovered. The same bridge, between Clearmont and Elmo, was partially washed out last fall. It will probably be six months before the steel bridge over the old channel can be transferred to the new channel and the trestle over the old bed built, according to E. T, Bailey, a member of the county court.

If a satisfactory bid can be secured the contract for the transfer will be awarded today, it is said, so that the improvement can be made as soon as possible.

Suggestion is made to the county court that the road between the two towns should be straightened and the trestle put on a new line.

WELCOME 'NEW' BAPTISTS

Novel Tagging Aids "Get-Acquainted" Scheme—Music and Talks to Fully 600.

It was a real old-fashioned get-together meeting which 600 persons attended at the First Baptist church last night to mark the reception of the nearly 300 members received in the Baptist church as a result of the recent revival. They began coming before the doors were even opened, and the get-acquainted affair continued until late. Each person was tagged with this. "I am (so and so), who are you?" so that the proposition of each getting acquainted was a simple matter.

The reception began in the church basement, where, after a general handshaking a luncheon of sandwiches, pickles, doughnuts and coffee was served. Then all gathered in the church auditorium, where the evening program of music, speeches, prayers and readings was given.

It began by the entire audience singing "Old-Time Religion," and was followed by a prayer by H. W. Hull. A vocal solo by Miss Hazel Everhart came next.

The address of welcome to the new members, and old as well, was delivered by the Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor. Response was made by J. A. Speirs, representing the new members. His talk was greeted by an unusual applause from the audience.

A duet by Prof. P. O. Landon and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook, and several readings by Prof. Harry A. Miller of the State Normal school followed up the addresses. Prof. Miller responded to two encores.

WOULD LIGHT HOPKINS PARK.

Directors Seek Electric Bulbs For Civic Grounds—To Be Lively Place.

The directors of the city park of Hopkins, have taken the matter up with the Electric Light Co., with a view of having the park wired for lights, and in case satisfactory arrangements are made, it is planned to give various entertainments at the park during the summer season, the object being to raise money with which to pay interest on the park indebtedness.

The churches, too, will likely hold services at the park during the heated season and altogether the lights can be used to good advantage—Hopkins Journal.

Gilbert Spring and Sadie Large, both of Hopkins and both 36 years old, were married this morning by Probate Judge W. H. Conn. They secured the license here.

BIBLE VS. SCIENCE

CHRISTIAN EVANGELIST ANSWERS THEORISTS' DOUBTS.

CENSURS FALSE FAITHS

Sermon Subject Tonight is "Why I Am Not a Universalist"—Attendance Increasing—Adds Nine.

"The Grounds of Christian Faith" was the subject of the sermon given last night at the First Christian church by the Rev. Charles A. Finch. The audience was a larger one than any previous night and the interest in the meetings continues to increase. There were nine additions to the church at the close of the sermon. Mr. Fritz tenor, sang the solo, "What Will the Harvest Be," last night and he will sing a solo number tonight.

The subject of the Rev. Mr. Finch's sermon tonight will be "Why I Am Not a Universalist."

The evangelist last night considered the grounds of faith and discussed some of the objections urged against Christianity. He said in part:

"The words of Jesus may be compared to a tree so laden with fruit that the branches touch the ground. All that one needs to do is lift the pearls and diamonds of truth and appropriate them for ones own use. One of the great statements of Jesus is found in John 8:32, 'Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free.' Christians cannot afford to hold any belief upon which the light of investigation cannot shine. If what we believe will not bear the light of day, it belongs to the realm of darkness.

"Truth makes us free. We want to know the truth about all things. It is a poor policy to preach cream and practice skimmed milk. It is always a mistake to put a blind bridle on a young horse. We must know the truth educationally, politically, socially and religiously. Excuses are but the skin of a reason stuffed with ones own desires. The truth about the saloon is this, it is an ulcer. You can't make a division between any man and his business. The saloon is just as respectable as the man who operates it.

Some Objections Answered.

"A man says, 'I don't believe in the trinity.' The question is, 'Do you believe in Christ?' The word trinity does not occur in the Bible. Another man says, 'I can't believe.' 'Why can't you?' Faith is natural, doubt unnatural. If we believe our doubts and doubt our beliefs, only then faith is unnatural. It is natural for a child to believe.

"Sin, evil companions and skeptical literature is responsible for your unbelief. I can prescribe a course of reading that will make the ordinary individual an unbeliever in twelve months. The most healthy person alive can be reduced to invalidism in six months by following a certain regime of living. Another man objects to miracles. We are kept alive by a miracle, we came here by a miracle. Were it not for seed time and harvest and planting the miracle of God's providence and hundred million people in the United States would starve.

"It is no more wonderful that we live again than that we live now. We call everything miracle that we don't understand, and cannot perform. Fifty years ago a heavier than air machine flying in the heavens was a miracle. Another man says 'the world is outgrowing Christianity,' you just as well talk about outgrowing the sun, mercy, forgiveness, mother love. Men have fought creed statements instead of Christianity. The damnation of unbaptized infants as well as the existence of a profligate priesthood is no more Christianity than scavinger buzzards are the heralds of prosperity and plenty.

Bible and Science.

"A class of men pride themselves on their intellectual and scientific culture and profess a disagreement between the Bible and science. The Bible does not pretend to be a scientific book, but it antidates science in many statements that only recently science has found to be true. I have no quarrel with a man who regards Genesis as an allegory, but somehow or other this allegory is found to accord with the conclusions of science respecting the order of vegetable and animal life on the earth. How did Moses guess so profoundly the different stages of plant and animal life if God did not illuminate him?

"A long time ago the Bible said the blood was the life, but the doctors used to bleed a man to cure disease.

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DRURY WON 33-28

NORMAL QUINTET MADE FINAL SPURT TOO LATE TO WIN.

TIED IN FIRST HALF

Local Basket Ball Players Began Losing Last Half, But Rallied Near End—First Defeat Here.

The Maryville Normal basket ball team was defeated for the first time on the home court this season, when Drury college walked away last night with the long end of a 33-28 score.

The game was the fastest exhibition of basket ball which has been staged here this year, and it is generally conceded by the fans that the Drury aggregation of athletes have the best team which has been seen in action on the local court this season. The team was composed of experienced players, who had the best combination of qualities that a basket ball team can have—speed, weight and, by no means last, height.

Tied in First Half.

Drury started the scoring, gaining a field goal and a free throw before the Normal tallied. A pretty goal by Vandersloot, however, started the Normal machine to scoring, and until near the end of the first half the score favored the locals. Drury played a hard, rushing game and was fouled frequently, eight of the Normals' fourteen points in this section of the game being made from the foul line. Near the end of the half the Drury Panthers surged ahead, and when the period ended the score stood 14-14.

The Normal started well in the second half, adding four points to its side of the score before Drury registered. This spurt was countered by the Drury players by an effort which placed them considerably in the lead. This advantage they maintained until the end of the game.

With but two minutes to go the Normals rallied and commenced to close the gap which separated the two teams. A few more minutes of time would have played the locals in the lead. At the sound of the gun, however, the Panthers had a five-point lead.

Wetzell Drury Star.

Wetzell, the big Drury forward, was easily the star of the game, getting ten goals from the field. Davis, the other forward completed the scoring for Drury, getting three goals from the field and seven singles from the foul line.

For the Normals, Vandersloot and Scarlett played excellent games. Beside his three field goals, "Van" made 13 out of 22 tries from the free throw mark. Scarlett held the big Drury center to no goals and scored one himself.

This game places the Normal one game behind Tarkio, the leaders of the conference. The Normal still has two games to play, both of which are away from home. The team, accompanied by Coach Hanson, will leave for Cameron Thursday, February 25, where it will play Missouri Wesleyan. It will play William Jewell at Liberty the following night. The Normal now hopes to tuck both games on the safe side of its percentage column.

Plays Last Game Here.

The game of last night will probably be the last for the Normal on the home court this season.

Morris Riley of the Kansas City Athletic club refereed, and sustained his reputation of fairness and impartiality. Riley has refereed three games on the home court this year. Summary:

Maryville—	F.G.	F.	F.T.
Vandersloot	3	13	22
Leech	1	1	2
Scarlett	1	0	0
Scott	2	0	0
McClintock	0	0	0
Woodward	0	0	0
Totals	7	14	24
Drury—	F.G.	F.	F.T.
Wetzell	10	0	0
Davis	3	7	17
Marr	0	0	0
Shannon	0	0	0
Foster	0	0	0
Totals	13	7	17

Referee—Riley, K. C. A. C.

Standing of intercollegiate teams:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pr.ct.
Tarkio	7	6	1	.857
Maryville Nor.	6	4	2	.600
Central	5	3	2	.600
William Jewell	7	4	3	.571
Drury	4	2	2	.500
Cent. Wesleyan	3	0	3	.000
Mo. Wesleyan	5	0	5	.000

Mrs. Charles Manley of Barnard was shopping in Maryville yesterday.

TO QUIZ TUTORS, MARCH 5, 6

Two Days Examination for County Teachers Arranged by Superintendent Cooper.

The regular March examination for public school teachers of Nodaway county for teachers' certificates will be held in the rooms of the Maryville Business college here, Friday and Saturday, March 5 and 6. The announcement of the tutors' quizzes was made last night by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper. At least 100 will take the examination, it is believed.

The examinations will begin at 8 o'clock each morning and will continue through the day. Quizzes in the various studies will be given as follows:

Friday morning—Geography, language, algebra, orthography.

Friday afternoon—Grammar, Arithmetic, literature, reading.

Saturday morning—Civil government, U. S. history, agriculture, algebra, advanced science.

Saturday afternoon — Physiology, writing, pedagogy, literature, advanced history.

GET 3 FAIR ATTRACTIONS

Nodaway County Exhibitors Book Animal Circus, Acrobats and Performers Today.

Three attractions for the annual county fair, to be held here the last two days of August and the first four days of September, were booked this morning by officers of the Maryville-Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural association. The booking was made through F. H. Kressman, traveling representative of the F. M. Barnes fair booking agency of Chicago.

The officials and Mr. Kressman met in the office of J. F. Roelofson, an officer of the association. The attractions are: Blakes' comedy circus, of ponies, monkeys, dogs and a trick mule; the four Casters, whirlwind acrobats, and the Peerless Potters, performers of difficult tricks of the stage and the tan bark arena.

Each will give two acts, each of the seven days of the fair. Changes of program also will be made.

The principal attraction desired, which consisted by a daredevil loop-the-loop three times in automobiles, had already been booked. Other attractions will be contracted for within a few weeks.

INDICTED YEAR AGO; SURRENDER

Arthur Collins, Iowa, Gambled at Elmo, Charged—To Be Tried Next Wednesday.

Arthur Collins of College Springs, Ia., who was indicted on three counts in January, 1914, by a grand jury here of gaming, surrendered to Sheriff Edwin Wallace and Prosecuting Attorney William G. Sawyers this afternoon. He gave bond of $100 on each count for his appearance in circuit court here next Wednesday, when court will be reconvened. Collins' father-in-law, F. C. Curnutt, was surety.

Collins, together with a number of other young men, were arrested in 1913 on gambling charges. Some were tried, but several who lived in Iowa were never apprehended. They gradually are arrested or give themselves up, however.

FAREWELL FOR PASTOR.

The Rev. Love of Burlington Junction Takes New Charge Next Week.

A reception will be given tonight at the Christian church of Burlington Junction, in honor of the retiring pastor and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. John W. Love, who will leave Tuesday for St. Joseph to reside. The Rev. Mr. Love will become pastor of the Wyatt Park Christian church of that city, taking up his new duties March 1.

The Rev. Mr. Love has been pastor of the Burlington Junction church for the past three years. The reception will be in the nature of a farewell, and an invitation has been extended to all the members and friends of the church.

Marriage License Granted.

A marriage license was issued at St. Joseph yesterday to Frank Bock of Grant City and Miss Bessie Cole of Parnell.

FRENCH STEAMER SUNK BY GERMANS

SUBMARINE TORPEDOES DINORAH OFF DIEPPE—NO WARNING.

CREW MAY BE LOST; BOUND FOR DUNKIRK

Shipping Interests Anxious for Safety of Ships Through Blockade—Protection Not Feasible, U. S. Says.

By American Press.

Washington, Feb. 19.—While shipping interests continue operations on the Atlantic, every sailing is made with anxiety and fear for the safety of the ships and crew is felt, as a result of the German and English blockade. The advice of the German kaiser, however, that the United States protect its merchantment with war ships through the war zone is not looked upon as feasible.

By American Press.

Dieppe, France, Feb. 19.—A German submarine this morning torpedoed the French steamer Dinorah, bound from Havre to Dunkirk, at a point sixteen miles off Dieppa. The attack on the French steamer came without any warning, many of the members of the French crew still being asleep.

No mention of the disposition of the crew is made in the report relative to the destruction of the steamer, but it is feared all went down with the ship.

WILL NOT OBSERVE HOLIDAY

Maryville Schools Will Be in Session Monday, Washington's Birthday.

Because Friday, the day after Thanksgiving day last fall, was used as a holiday in the Maryville schools, there will be no vacation in the Maryville schools Monday, in observance of Washington's birthday, according to E. R. Utter, principal of the high school. But there will probably be some special exercises in the schools to commemorate the event, such as the singing of patriotic songs, readings on Washingtons life and character and speeches by the pupils.

Some of the rural schools of the county, however, will be closed Monday in observance of the day, especially those that did not close the day after Thanksgiving. Most of the schools of Nodaway county, however, will be in session Monday, as other school days, according to County Superintendent Bert Cooper.

MRS. COGDILL SEEKS DIVORCE.

Alleges Indignities—Were Married 30 Years—Wants Custody of Children.

A suit for divorce, after being married thirty years, was brought in circuit court here this morning by Mrs. Gertrude Cogdill against Walter Scott Cogdill. She says they were married in 1885 and continued to live together until last fall. They are the parents of five children, two of whom are minors. They lived near Guilford.

She alleges indignities, in that he cursed her, mistreated her and endangered her life. It is said he is the same Cogdill who now is charged by the state with common assault, which is now pending in circuit court here.

She seeks custody of the two minor children and alimony.

THE WEATHER

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. Bert Cooper for county superintendent of schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election on Tuesday, April 6.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector of Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention. CLARENCE GREEN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for township assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

ED F. HAMLIN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township assessor of Polk township. E. E. TILTON.

DRAG THE DIRT ROADS NOW.

County Engineer Says Farmers Should Guard Against "Bad" Spring Highways.

Drag the roads now.

That is the advice of John H. Clary, county highway engineer. And he emphatically states that the farmers can't get out too quickly on the dirt highways of Nodaway county to guard against almost impassable roads later in the winter and early spring.

"Of course, in some places the roads may be too soft to drag properly yet," explained Mr. Clary, "but where this is the case another dragging could be made later, and thereby insuring a much smoother and better graded road than where only one dragging is performed.

"Some of the farmers over the county have already begun dragging, and much to their benefit, but the really worst roads still go unmolested."

Worth, Worth county, is to have a new newspaper, which will be published by F. A. Kallett, editor of the King City Democrat. This will be the third weekly published by Kallett, the Darlington News having been started a few weeks ago.

TO HOLD MONTHLY SERVICES.

Plans Made for Religious Meetings at County Farm.

Plans were made Wednesday afternoon at the monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U., at the First Christian church, for conducting religious services once each month at the county sanitarium. The date will be arranged later and a speaker will be secured for each service.

A program day will also be held during the month of March, when a lecturer will given an address on some topic vital to the work of the W. C. T. U.

The Wednesday program was an interesting one and was heard by a good crowd. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. J. D. Frank, and a reading on "Health and Heredity" was given by Mrs. R. L. Finch. The musical program was conducted by Mrs. F. P. Robinson, and special numbers were given by the leader, and a solo was given by Harry Fritz, who is in charge of the musical part of the evangelistic services at the First Christian church.

WILSON O. K., EUREKANS SAY.

Normal Society Decided President's Policy is Not Weak Nor Detrimental.

After a rather lengthy and a decidedly heated debate the judges hearing the discussion of the Eurekan literary society of the Normal yesterday afternoon on President Wilson's policies decided that Wilson was all right—that is, that the negative debaters had won. The resolution in full was, "Resolved, that President Wilson's policy is characterized by a weakness which is detrimental to the best interests of the United States."

S. W. Skelton and Harry Clayton argued for, while Harold Ramsey and W. A. Powers took the negative side of the question.

There Is No Question

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VICTROLA IN SCHOOL.

Garfield Pupils Purchase Musical Instrument for Daily Use.

A victrola will be placed in the Garfield ward school to be used in giving the various musical programs of the week and as an educational feature for the pupils.

The teachers and pupils will earn the money to buy the instrument. They have planned various ways of doing this. The first one will be a candy sale, to be held Saturday at the Price-McNeal store.

YOUR FRECKLES

Need Attention in February and March or Face May Stay Covered.

Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish it to look well the rest of the year. The February and March winds have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that may stay all summer unless removed. Now is the time to use othine—double strength.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of othine—double strength, and even a few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.

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TO HOLD PATRIOTIC SERVICES.

Annual Observance of D. A. R. to Be at Christian Church Sunday.

The annual patriotic service for the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the First Christian church. The address will be given by the pastor, the Rev. Robert Lyle Finch.

The church will be handsomely decorated with patriotic emblems, the central feature of which will be the new silk flag purchased by the D. A. R. to be used in its chapter work.

The ritualistic part of the service will combine that of the D. A. R. and the Sons of the Revolution. A specially prepared musical program will be given by the church choir, and there will be two solo numbers. Harry Fritz, tenor, will sing "Hail Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," and Mrs. F. P. Robinson, accompanied by a double quartet, will sing the obligato of the Recessional by De Koven. The subject of the Rev. Mr. Finch's address will be "Washington, the Genius of Patriotism."

An invitation has been extended to the W. R. C., G. A. R. and the Elks lodge to attend the services in a body.

BOY COASTER FATALLY HURT.

Cecil Rubart, Hopkins, Died From Injuries Received When Sled Collides

Cecil Rubart, whose parents have moved onto the J. W. Vanatta farm, north of Hopkins, died last Monday morning from injuries received while coasting.

The lad received his injury by the stopping of the sled, which had been going at a high rate of speed, the result being that he was thrown face downward across the sled. He was injured internally.—Hopkins Journal.

RURAL CARRIERS TO MEET.

Fourth District Association to Hold Semi-Annual Session at St. Joseph Monday.

The Rural Letter Carriers' association of the fourth congressional district will hold its semi-annual meeting at the federal building in St. Joseph next Monday night. Every rural carrier in the district is invited to attend. Several of the state officers will be present. Delegates to the state convention to be held at Marshall July 2 and 3 will be chosen.

SISTER OF F. BARMANN DEAD.

Mrs. Ed Schilder Succumbs at Her Home in Ohio.

Frank Barmann received word this morning of the death of his sister, Mrs. Ed Schilder of Chillicothe, O., who died last night at her home. Mrs. Schilder has frequently visited in Maryville at her brother's home, and is known by many friends of the Barmann family.

Beside her brother, in Maryville Mrs. Schilder leaves two brothers, Charles Barmann of Arkoe and Joseph Barmann of Savannah, and a sister, who is a resident of Chillicothe.

TO HOLD DEFERRED DEBATES.

Toad Hollow Society Will Decide Whether Cattle or Hogs Are More Profitable.

Two rural school communities will hold debates tonight, they being postponed from last week. The Toad Hollow Literary society of the Gray Grove school will debate the resolution, "That cattle raising is more profitable than raising hogs."

The Dawsonville Literary society of the Dawson school will debate tonight on the protective tariff question.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

Melvin Heflin Succumbs at Home of Daughter in Kansas.

Melvin Heflin, aged 76, a former resident of this city, and widely known over the county, died at 2 o'clock this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will D. Bishop of Colony, Kan. Mrs. Heflin died about a year ago. Mr. Heflin leaves a niece, Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, of West Second street, and other relatives who are residents of Nodaway county.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Has 161 Young Chickens.

Mrs. Guy Mutz, who lives four miles southwest of Maryville, perhaps can rightly lay claim to having the first spring chickens, or at least the most for this time of year. Mrs. Mutz now has 161 of the little chicks, while more will be hatched soon.

Many People In This Town

never really enjoyed a meal until we advised them to take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.

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Ends Short Court Session.

Judge W. C. Ellison returned yesterday from Grant City, where he presided this week over the February term of circuit court of Worth county. The session lasted only three days. There were no jury trials.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MOTHER! THE CHILD IS COSTIVE, BILIOUS

Don't hesitate! A laxative is necessary if tongue is coated, breath bad or stomach sour.

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrup. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Holds Funeral Services.

Funeral services for Mrs. Joseph Proctor, living east of Pickering, who died yesterday, were held at 1 o'clock today at the family home, conducted by the Rev. S. P. Stillman, pastor of the Christian church at Pickering.

Infant Daughter Dies.

Marjorie Nadine, the 17-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sloan of Clearmont, died at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Death followed a short illness of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon.

May See Olympic Players.

The most of the players on the Normal team plan to go to Kansas City, Saturday, February 27, to witness the big indoor track meet held at Convention hall, in which several Olympic stars will contest.

Arrives from Tarkio.

Miss Hazel Trout of Tarkio arrived in Maryville Thursday night to spend the week end with her sister, Miss Ruth Trout, who is attending the Normal, and her cousins, Misses Helen Todd and Mary Margaret Richey.

Medic Takes Special Work.

Dr. F. R. Anthony will leave this afternoon for New York City, where he intends to spend a month to take some special medical instruction in the post-graduate hospital there, under Dr. G. A. Denning. Dr. Denning has just returned from London, and, being a personal friend of Dr. Anthony, has offered to teach him some of the newer medical methods.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Notice to the Public

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We want your business, regardless of politics and religion.

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Toilet powders, tooth powders, toothbrushes, shaving and toilet soaps, perfumes and massage creams. All of the finest quality. Special attention paid to prescriptions; fresh drugs only are used. This work is under the supervision of a qualified pharmacist. Have you ever tried

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They Save Time and Labor

Not until you actually try them can you have any idea in how many ways ScotTissue-s save work. For absorbing grease from fried foods, absorbing split liquids, polishing cut glass, mirrors, etc. Use them in the kitchen as towels—save washing and your good linen towels. Try them.

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Here's some boot—

"Buddy"

A PURE Rubber Boot

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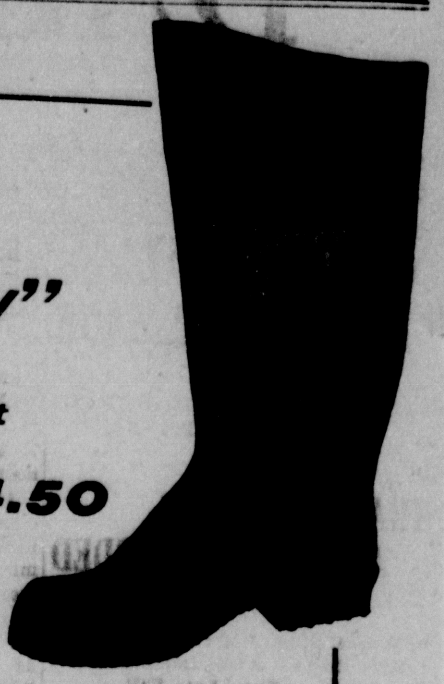

THIS RUBBER BOOT has reinforced heel and vamp all the way round. This is the one very important feature, because it gives great protection to the boot where the greatest wear takes place Lined with fine duck.

A Boot for Farmers and Stockmen. In fact anyone who wants a boot for service will find that this one has the very best quality.

Let Us Show You "Buddy"

If you need boots and can't conveniently call at the store, phone in and we will mail them to you promptly. No trouble to us and perhaps a convenience to you.

Montgomery Shoe Co

THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

Returns from Texas.

M. F. Gingrich, who owns the farm six miles northwest of Maryville, now occupied by E. A. Cockayne, returned yesterday from Texas, where he bought 1,280 acres of farm property. Mr. Gingrich is not overly satisfied with the Texas soil. He sold at a gross profit of $4 per acre, but sunk $4,600 alone for a well, besides making other improvements. He will probably relocate on his farm.

The Gingrich family will return to Nodaway county within a short time.

Des Moines Visitor Leaves.

Mrs. Rosa Marshall of Des Moines, Ia., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Utter, left yesterday for Leon, Ia., to visit Mrs. Orr Stone.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today

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Interest Paid Twice A Year

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MARYVILLE —:— MISSOURI

New Spring Goods Arriving Daily

We are Receiving Complete New Lines in Men's Clothing.

With the spring weather first beginning to appear you will no doubt be thinking of lighter and new clothing. Let us show you these lines now while the stock is new and complete. You will be able to select something much easier and from a greater variety.

Nifty Collegian Suits and other well known makes. Hats, Shirts and Ties of the latest designs. We'll be glad to show this new spring stock to you whether you buy or not. Don't wait.

M. Nusbaum

What's In a Name?

When it comes to Cigars—a whole lot. There's more real pleasure inside the wrapper of a

TRAVELER 5¢ CIGAR

than any "fiver" I ever smoked and say—I've "burned" all kinds from Kennebunkport to Kalamazoo! Now it's a *TRAVELER* for mine because—well just try one and you'll have the answer.

A rich good smoke—ask your cigar dealer

HAAS BROS. *Makers*

LETTS, PARKER COMPANY Distributors ST. JOSEPH, MISSOURI

Canada Guest Arrives.

Mrs. Louise Jacoby of Canada, who has been visiting Mrs. T. L. Dowling of Hopkins, arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones.

The Ladies of St. Patrick's Church Will Give a MARKET at Parle's Drug Store TOMORROW

With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most eldery people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is neccessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

H. L. RAINES
Jeweler and Optician
110 W. 3rd, St.

Are You Spending Your Money As Fast As You Get It?

The man who spends his money as fast as he gets it is not giving any serious thought as to his future welfare. There is hardly a man who makes money that could not each week be putting aside a small amount to protect himself from want in years to come.

Start a savings account today, add to it as often as you can and you will be surprised to find how much you are saving. It will be the very money that you have been spending foolishly.

It takes a small amount indeed to start a savings account with us.

And it will be the best start you could possibly make to protect your future well being.

Farmers Trust Company
"HOME OF SAVINGS"
Maryville, - Missouri

WOULD REPEAL SCHOOL LAW.

Legislative Measure Changes Apportionment from Attendance to Enumeration Plan.

A hard fight will have to be made in this legislature by educators to prevent the repeal of the law enacted by the forty-sixth general assembly providing for the apportionment of school money upon a basis of attendance and number of teachers employed, instead of upon enumeration, the old plan, which was abandoned in 1911.

Representative Cook of Ray county has introduced a measure to repeal the new apportionment law, under which school attendance and school spirit in Missouri have greatly increased, according to the report of William P. Evans, former state superintendent of public schools.

This report shows that attendance in Missouri public schools increased under the operation of this law from 75,965,726 days in 1912 to 83,000,000 days in 1914. The incentive to close attendance is large by reason of the fact that the higher the attendance in the various counties of the state the larger amount of state school moneys will be obtained.

This big gain in total days of school attendance in Missouri was made in the face of a decrease in enumeration from 1,005,092 to 975,504.

Representative J. W. McKnight of Gentry county is leading the fight against the repeal of the new apportionment law in the house, and State Senator Charles F. Carter in the senate.

"To repeal this apportionment law now would be to retard educational advancement in Missouri," said McKnight. "It would mean the discarding of a good progressive piece of school legislation which has given almost universal satisfaction, and under which the schools have shown wonderful improvement to take up an old archaic law which was so defective in its workings that the people of the state demanded the change."

"The new apportionment law must be retained upon the statute books if possible," said Senator Carter. "Missouri wants to take no backward step in the matter of education. I sponsored this law in the forty-sixth general assembly."

The proponents of the Cook law to return to the enumeration basis of apportioning the state funds claim that under the operations of the new apportionment law that the city districts have obtained the greatest support from the state

McKnight upset this argument completely by figures which show that St. Louis gets from the state but 12.5 per cent of the amount which it pays out in teachers' salaries and that Jackson county gets from the state but 10.1 per cent as much as it raises in local taxes for teachers' wages. The average for the state is 22.4 per cent of the total paid out in teachers' salaries.

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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office over Thomas Parle's drug store,
MARYVILLE, MO.
Both Phones.

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

Phones—Office 42 Home 668

W. R. C. to Meet.

The Women's Relief Corps will hold a meeting at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in their hall.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart were the hosts of a dinner party today noon, at which their guests were Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and Mrs. S. A. Roach of Barnard and E. T. Noble of Okmulgee, Okla.

Mrs. Kemp Hostess.

Mrs. S. H. Kemp entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church at its regular business meeting yesterday afternoon. The formal business matters of the society were settled and plans started for the annual fall bazaar.

Celebrates Wedding Anniversary.

Wednesday marked the thirty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Duncan, living near Quitman, and to celebrate the event they gave a dinner party, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deneen, Miss Dorothy Marjorie Deneen, Miss Lois Margaret Thompson and Shelton Thompson.

Entertains Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen, living south of the city, entertained the members of their club last night at their home with a pleasant evening spent with games and music. In entertaining Mrs. Allen had the assistance of her mother, Mrs. Feuqua, who is making her home with the Allens this winter. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ozra Gray and children, Mrs. E. P. Powell and her guest, Mrs. Walter Gilliam of Salt Lake City, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers and family, Miss Frankie Masters, Robert Powell, Clyde Auten and Mr. Wray.

Birthday Surprise.

Bert Kelley, living near Quitman, celebrated his birthday anniversary Monday, and a large party of his friends gathered unannounced at his home that evening to observe the day with a social time. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boring, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deneen, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Erma Grimsley, Mrs. Lowe, Misses Mabel Marie and Lora Lowe, Pauline, Kenneth and Shelton Thompson, Gladys Hiland, Herman and Lois Thompson, Glenn, Thomas, Raleigh and Fred Adams, Edwin Kuster, Anna and Royal Kuster, Ruth and Robert Grimsley, Pearl and Dorothy Deneen, Lucile Duncan and Lois Nichols.

PICKERING MERCHANT RETIRES.

C. A. Wolfers Resigns as Head of Mercantile Company—Edward Herbert, Hopkins, Succeeds.

Charles A. Wolfers, president of the Wolfers Mercantile company of Pickering, has decided to retire from active work, and this week the management of the business at that place was turned over to Edward Herbert of Hopkins, according to the Hopkins Journal.

Mr. Herbert will move his family to Pickering after the school term ends. He was with the Wolfers Mercantile company until a year ago, when he retired to go on the road for a shoe company.

MANY SPECIALS AT CONCERT.

Solos, Duets and a Female Quartet Will Feature Sunday Musicale.

A number of special numbers of vocal and instrumental solos, a clarinet duet and a quartet of high school girls will feature the band concert to be held in the Empire theater, beginning at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The program:

March, "Monstrat Viam".....Joy
Overture to "William Teli"....Rossini
Medley one-step, "When You Wore a Tulip and I Wore a Big Red Rose" .....Wenrich
Vocal solo, "Mavourneen".....Margaret Lang
Miss Besse Scott.
Clarinet duet, "The Two Little Bullfinches" .....Kling
Harold Maulding and Albert Butherus.
Grand sacred potpourri, "Morning Light" .....Barnhouse
"Lullaby," from opera "Ermine"....
Amy Clark, Katherine Chittenden, Doris Sayler and Ruby Irwin.
Miss Rooker, accompanist.
Bass solo, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep".....Rollinson
Marion Minter.
Egyptian intermezzo, "Mermaid of the Nile".....Hein
"Fox Trot".....Arthur Pryor

FORMER RESIDENT LOSES FOOT.

Engine Crushes Leg of Chester Hartman, Son of Mrs. George A. Hartman.

Chester Hartman of Great Falls, Mont., a resident of Barnard until nine years ago, and a son of George A. Hartman, 622 East Fourth street, had one of his legs crushed beneath a railroad locomotive, according to advice received by his father yesterday afternoon. Hartman, who is a fireman on the Great Northern railroad, was beneath the engine, making a slight repair, when the engineer suddenly started it.

Before Hartman could jump clear of the rails one of his legs was crushed beneath the wheels, between the ankle and the knee, necessitating amputation. It is probable another amputation will be necessary.

It is said Hartman would have been able to have jumped clear of the engine had not his clothing caught. He was last in Maryville about six weeks ago, when his mother died.

40,980 KIDS PROTEST SALOONS

Senator Craig, Files Sunday School Anti-Liquor Petition in Legislature

Senator Craig of Maryville, has presented in the state legislature, a remarkable petition, containing 40,980 names of Sunday school pupils in the state.

"You have made liberal provision for the protection of livestock and fruit trees," reads the petition, "but have failed to protect us against dramshops and the dreadful scourge of alcoholism."

Senator Craig asked that the petition be filed in the "state archives" in the basement of the supreme court building.

Olive Oil—Flesh Builder
One of the best known and most reliable tissue builders,
Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
is both a flesh builder and nerve tonic. Pleasant to take. Easy to digest.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Fern Showed "The Bargain."

The six-reel western feature film of the Paramount company, "The Bargain," was shown to large audiences at the Fern theater both last night and the night preceding. The acting of William S. Hart as the villain was especially commendable.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

"The Clothes That Reflect Your Personality"

Clean-cut lines and sober-sense designs give clothes the character most men like to show.

Fit is the foundation of good looks in clothes; when clothes fit from the first, they're usually a fit to the last.

The way they hold their shape, style and finish proves sturdy fabrics and tailoring well done.

They stand by our customers in a way that makes customers stand by us.

The Price $15.00 and up Satisfaction guaranteed

ROY W. PETTIT
The Toggery Shop

William Hollis of Burlington Junction, who had his ankle broken in a fall recently, is able to walk with crutches now.

Safety First

FOLLOW THE FLAG

To San Francisco San Diego Exposition and Return $51.48

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WABASH

Perhaps the prime motive of most people who make this trip will be to visit these great expositions yet there are numerous attractions all along the way

The Stop-Over Privileges on These Tickets are Very Liberal

Many free side trips, including a voyage at sea without additional charge.

Rates are effective March 1st, to November 30th, 1915. Final return limit 3 months from date of sale but not later than December 31st, 1915.

We thank you for the inquiry and will be glad to give you the best possible information at all times.

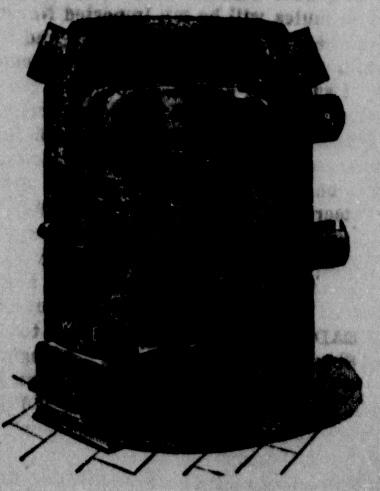
E. L. FERRITOR, Agent

Now is the Time to Think of YOUR FURNACE JOB

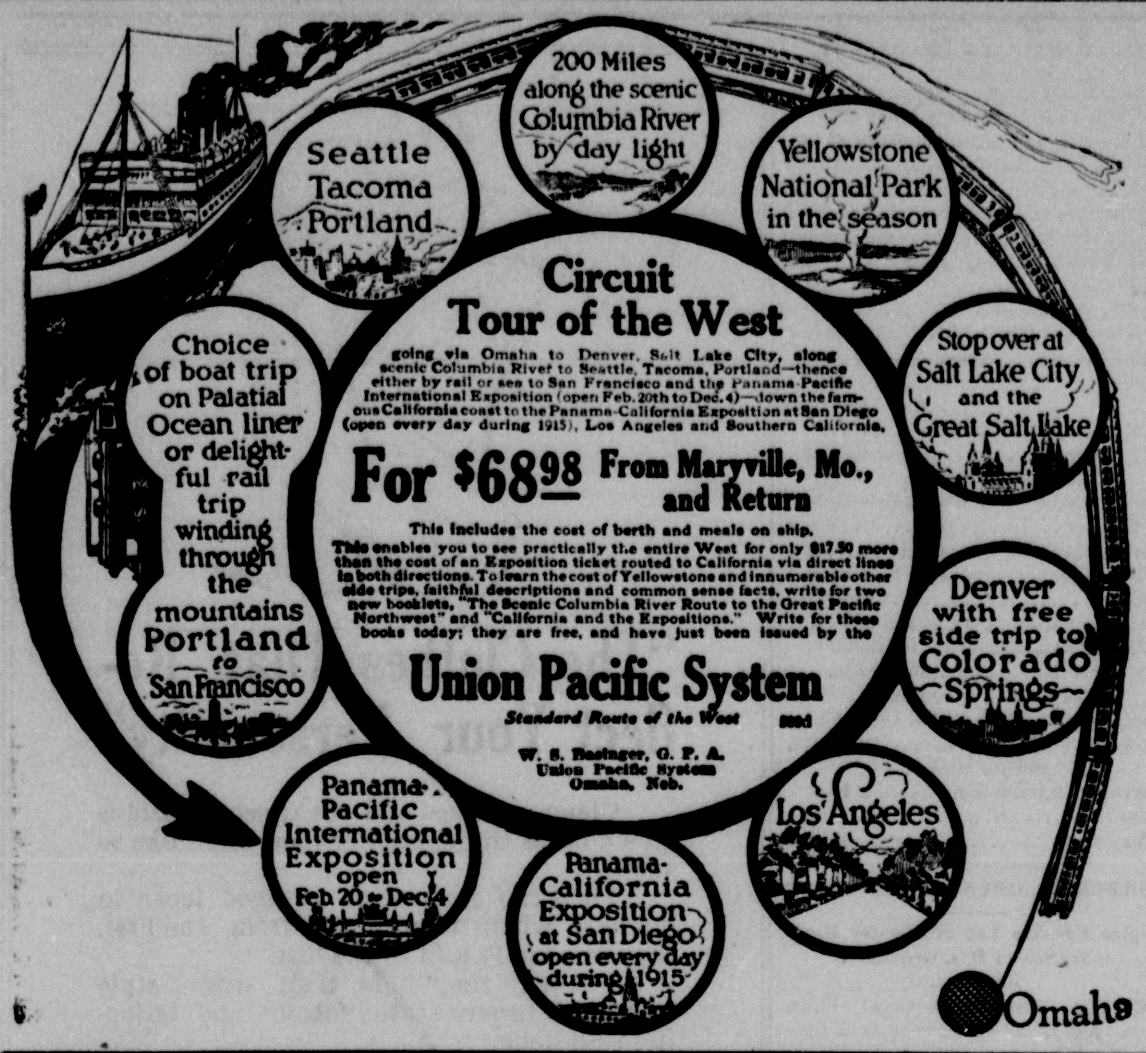
And if you are looking for a CAST FURNACE let us give you a brief description of the ***WISE CAST FURNACE*** one of the best of its kind in the market. Built right, Duplex Grate, 20th Century Fire Pot, Guaranteed, Self Cleaning Radiator, Large Casing giving the proper amount of Free Air Space.

Call and Let Us Figure With You.

Mr. Lloyd Geist, our expert furnace man, will install your furnace to your entire satisfaction.



Hudson and Welch, North Side Hardware Men


200 Miles along the scenic Columbia River by day light
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Choice of boat trip on Palatial Ocean liner or delightful rail trip winding through the mountains Portland to San Francisco
Circuit Tour of the West
going via Omaha to Denver, Salt Lake City, along scenic Columbia River to Seattle, Tacoma, Portland—thence either by rail or sea to San Francisco and the Panama-Pacific International Exposition (open Feb. 20th to Dec. 4)—down the famous California coast to the Panama-California Exposition at San Diego (open every day during 1915), Los Angeles and Southern California.
For $68.98 From Maryville, Mo., and Return
This includes the cost of berth and meals on ship.
This enables you to see practically the entire West for only $17.50 more than the cost of an Exposition ticket routed to California via direct lines in both directions. To learn the cost of Yellowstone and innumerable other side trips, faithful descriptions and common sense facts, write for two new booklets, "The Scenic Columbia River Route to the Great Pacific Northwest" and "California and the Expositions." Write for these books today; they are free, and have just been issued by the
Union Pacific System
Standard Route of the West
W. S. Basinger, G. P. A. Union Pacific System Omaha, Neb.
Stop over at Salt Lake City and the Great Salt Lake
Denver with free side trip to Colorado Springs
Panama-Pacific International Exposition open Feb. 20 to Dec. 4
Panama-California Exposition at San Diego open every day during 1915
Los Angeles
Omaha

May Move to South Dakota.

L. O. Guisinger, who recently held a sale at his former home near Barnard, left yesterday for Centerville, S. D., where he expects to locate, Mr. Guisinger has been visiting friends and relatives in Maryville and the county for the last week, or since returning from Birch Tree, where he had intended to locate.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company.
Maryville, Mo.

"Julia L." Again Wins.

"Julia L," one of Ben Jones' young fillies, of Parnell, took first money at Juarez, Mexico, Friday. This was her third race and she has won all of them. Her time in the last race was 39 3-5 seconds for three and one-half furlongs. "Asa Herndon," another one of his horses, took first money in the mile race on the same day. Time, 1:42.

Here from Kansas City.

Mrs. M. E. Ummethun of Kansas City arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ed G. Orear.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Closing Out Sale

Having decided to leave the state, I will sell at auction on what is known as the old Leslie Lewis farm, 10½ miles northeast of Maryville, and 6½ miles northwest of Ravenwood, 1 mile west and ½ mile north of Harmony church, commencing at 10 a. m.,

Tuesday, Feb. 23

6 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 smooth-mouthed sorrel mare in foal by jack, 1 yearling horse colt and 1 weanling colt, 1 span of coming 2-year-old mules, good ones; 1 mare coming 10 years old. May sell a brown team coming 6 and 7 years old.

10 HEAD OF CATTLE—9 milch cows, part of them have calves by side; 1 yearling bull.

IMPLEMENTS—1 8-foot Acme binder, run two years; 1 hay rake, 1 riding lister and drill combined; 2 riding cultivators, 1 wagon and rack, 1 Black Hawk corn planter, drill and check row, good as new; 1 16-inch Case riding plow, 1 bobsled, 1 3-section harrow, about 1,000 bushels of corn in crib to be sold in lots of 100 bushels or more, to be weighed over the scales on the Preston Seafers farm, about 250 bushels of oats, some household goods.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months time on approved notes bearing 8 per cent from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with. Lunch served by the ladies of Harmony church.

Charles Evans, Auctioneer.
Fay Casteel, Clerk.

Frank West

PUBLIC SALE

The S. C. Pistole farm where I have resided for the past 11 years, has been sold, and I must give possession of same by March 1, so I will sell at public sale at the above mentioned farm, 6 miles east and 1 mile south of Hopkins; 5 miles west and 1 mile north of Sheridan, and 10 miles south of Bedford, Iowa, on

Thursday, February 25, 1915

Begnining at 10::00 a. m. sharp

24 HORSES AND MULES—1 bay mare, 5-yr-old, wt. 1,500; 1 sorrel mare, 4-yr-old, in foal, wt. 1,450; 1black mare, 4-yr-old, in foal, 1,350; 1 black mare, 5-yr-old, in foal; 1 sorrel mare, 4-yr-old, in foal, wt. 1,350; 1 gray mare, 6-yr-old, wt. 1,300; 1 gray horse, 4-yr-old, wt. 1,350; 1 sorrel horse, 3-yr-old, wt. 1,150; 1 black horse, 5-yr-old, wt. 1,200. This horse is broke single and is positively safe for women and children. 1 span driving horses, wt. 2,000, 4and 6-yrs-old; 7 coming yearling colts, good size and colors. These horses are Norman bred with plenty of size, action and quality. 5 head coming 2-yr-old mules. **Imported Stallion and Pedigreed Jack for sale.** In my offerings of horses and mules will be my Imported Norman stallion, Mosseux, No. 56404, one of the best horses in this country, and Big Jim, a good, heavy boned Jack with white points and weighing 1,040—guaranteed to be all right in every way and a sure foal getter—recorded in the standard Jack and Jennette book of America, record No. 20357, papers furnished on day of sale.

81 HEAD OF CATTLE—1 pedigreed 5-yr-old Shorthorn bull, easily made weigh ton, good herd header; 16 milch cows, some with calves by side and balance to be fresh soon, all full blooded Shorthorns and are extra fine; 20 2-yr-old steers, mostly my own raising and are also full blooded Shorthorns; 44 coming yearling Shorthorns, all dehorned and vaccinated, a fine bunch.

33 HEAD OF HOGS—33 Duroc-Jersey brood sows, 13 of them being tried sows, balance last March gilts, good size and will forra wabout April 1. These sows are all full blooded and are immune by the double treatment.

78 HEAD OF SHEEP—77 ewes due to lamb April 1. This is a good bunch of Shropshrie breeding ewes. 1 Registered Shropshire buck.

FARM IMPLEMENTS HAY, ETC—8 dozen Rhode Island Red pullets and a few cockerels, 1000 oak fence posts, 150 loads of stove wood, Dain hay loader, good as new; 2-row cultivator, work harness, disc harrow, some good timothy hay in barn.

TERMS:—Sums of $10.00 and under cash; on sums over this amount a credit 3, 6 or 9 months will be given bankable notes bearing 8 per cent from date.

COLS. CHAS. EVANS, CHILCOTE BROS. & CUMMINGS, Auctioneers.
VOLLEY SANDERS, Clerk

John M. Griffin

GAYNOR CHRISTIAN LADIES, LUNCH.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA, GAS OR INDIGESTION

Each "Pape's Diapepsin" digests 3000 grains food, ending all stomach misery in five minutes.

Time it' Pape's Diapepsin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as sono as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin' 'to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 300.

Hogs—34,000. Market strong; top, $6.60. Estmate tomorrow, 18,000.

Sheep—11,000. Market steady to slow.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—10,000. Market steady; top, $6.75.

Sheep—8,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—6,000. Market slow; top, $6.60.

Sheep—300. Market steady.

Samuel Kemp Ill.

Samuel Kemp of Quitman has been seriously ill for the past week.

BILBE VS. SCIENCE

(Continued from page 1.)

Harvey discovered the circulation of the blood and proved that it was life to every particle of the body. Paul said: 'God hath made of one blood all nations.' Before, men thought that the blood of the white and black man was different, today science states that under the microscope the blood corpuscles in all races seem to be the same.

"Science admits that there are four kinds of flesh, but the Corinthian letter stated that a long time before science was born. Before Galileo invented this telescope only a few thousand stars could be counted with the naked eye, but God said to Abraham that his seed should be as the stars of Heaven and the sand of the sea, innumerable. Today the telescope proves that the stars are as the sands. The Bible said 'He hath spread the north over the empty places' and the most powerful telescopes prove it true.

Bible Read Everywhere.

"False religions place the earth on a turtle's back, the Greeks taught it was upheld upon the shoulders of Atlas. The Bible never makes any silly statements of that nature. I believe the Bible for what it has done for the race. Said the great scholar, Mathew Arnold, 'There is not a place ten miles square on the earth where the Bible is not read, that human life is held sacred, or woman's virtue respected.' The doctrine that the grave ends all Carlyle called 'the philosophy of dirt.' It crushes human hope and makes human striving worthless. The human heart is fed on the hope of immortality and Christ is the answer to the great question, 'if a man die shall he live again.'

Fiddlers' Contest Tonight.

A fiddlers' contest will be held in Elmo tonight, under the auspices of the Elmo band. A number of the old time violinists are expected to compete for honors tonight.

A Bald Head Only Indicates that the scalp has been neglected. We recommend that you use

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

Kills the germ that causes the hair to fall out and will keep the scalp healthy.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Holds Closing Out Sale.

A public auction of thirteen head of horses, fifty cattle, eighty hogs and farm implements and grain was held by Isaac J. Crossan & Son, at the Crossan farm, 3½ miles southeast of Maryville, today.

John Fisher, who lives east of Maryville, left Wednesday night for St. Louis where he will spend several days on business.

Of Course
Flowers
Would be
Appropriate

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

Public Mule Sale

I will sell at the Livery Barn at Bolckow, Missouri, on

Wednesday, February 24

Sale opens at 1:00 p. m.

48 HEAD HORSES and MULES, Extra good—30 Head of these mules are coming 3 years old and are the best that I could buy as weanlings, mostly mare mules and well matched. Some of these mules weigh 1100 pounds now.

10 head of good broke mules, ranging in age from 4 to 9 years old and are extra good ones.

A well matched pair of chunks 3 years old and broke. 1 draft horse coming 4 years old, weight about 1400 pounds; 1 good combination horse 1 Menlo King mare; 1 Royal Chester colt, one year old. 1 of the best Shetland ponies every offered at public sale. If you want a good pair or a car load come to this sale for they will positively sell to the highest bidder,

TERMS:—6, 9 or 12 months on bankable note bearing 7 per cent interest from date.

We have some other animals not listed that will be offered for sale.

Bolckow is on the Creston branch of the C. B. & Q. Railroad 26 miles north of St. Joseph.

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W. W. Craig, Clerk

Frank J. Craig

DEMOCRAT-FORUM WANT ADS

For Results. For Results

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For Rent.

FOR RENT—5-room cottage on East First street Call G. A. Fite, Farmers phone 17. 17-19

FOR RENT—20 acres adjoining city limits, well improved, good location for small dairy or truck garden. See Joseph Jackson, Jr. 8-tf

FOR RENT—House on South Mulberry known as Thorp property; modern except heat. Inquire T. L. Wilderman. 16-20

HOUSE FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, close in. Phone 556. 17-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—6 collie pups. Inquire of Jess Dowden, Farmers phone 115. 13-19

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11 26-tf

FOR SALE—Two high grade yearling bulls, 1 Hereford and 1 Shorthorn. No better in the country. Elmer Fraser. 12-18

FOR SALE—Old Trusty incubators, delivered, freight paid to any station at factory price. E. L. Andrews. 30-tf

FOR SALE—Cord and stove wood, ash, oak and hickory. S. J. DeArmond, 324 East Third. Hanamo phone 3319. 17-19

FOR SALE—2 dozen good hens. Mrs. Marion F. Smith, 215 West Fifth. Farmers phone 52-12. 17-19

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One good 5-passenger Buick car, driven by me for two years. F. P. Reuillard. 19-22

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. R. I. Red cocks and cockerels, $1.00 and $2.00 each. Mrs. S. C. Donnel, Clearmont, Mo., Farmers phone 9-23 out of Clearmont. 18-22

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A farm hand for coming season. Roy Lippman, Hanamo 1-L. 18-20

FRESH STALK FIELD OPEN—5c day for cattle. L. D. Lynch, at Prather farm. 18-20

WANTED—Some sucking calves, no Jerseys. Roy Lippman, Hanamo 1-L. 18-20

Bran $1.25, shorts $1.50 per 100, in 500-pound lots or more at the mill. Glover & Alexander. 13-tf

BRAN, $1.20 per cwt; shorts, $1.45 cwt; choice alfalfa hay, $16.50 ton; prairie hay, $11.50 ton; tame hay, $17.00 ton. Glover & Alexander. 18-20

Dance at the W. O. W. hall Saturday night. Everybody invited. 18-20

SPECIAL SALE—Soft stovewood, $3.00; hard stovewood, $4.00 a load. All you can get on with sideboards, delivered. Saunders Bros. 10-tf

ALFALFA—Barn browned, first crop, sweet, leafy, $14.50. Third crop, good color, sweet leaf, $16.50. On Burlington track. Elmer Fraser.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK—Bran, cwt, $1.25; Shorts, cwt, $1.50; single sack at store. In quantities: Shorts, cwt, $1.45; bran, cwt, $1.20, at Wabash warehouse. When you are looking for bargains see us. We've got 'em. These prices are strictly cash. Yowell & Sons. 15-tf

LOST—On Third street, between Linville and Burlington station, dark brown fur muff, black lining. Return here. 18-20

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

FOR RENT—6-room house, water and lights, good location. E. E. Lloyd, phone 5296. 19-22

LOST—Gold charm with letters "E. W. G." Return to Ed Gray at First National bank. 19-22

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Farm For Sale

The J. M. Neal farm of 120 acres, 5½ miles northeast of Maryville, well improved, good house and barn, windmill, water piped to all lots. Will be sold at Sheriff's Sale at the Court house, **February 24, between the hours of 1 and 2:30 p. m.**

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, 6 miles northeast of Maryville and 2 miles south of Myrtle Tree church

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24

the following property:

14 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—black mare, weight 1,650, 10 years old, good one and sound; bay mare, weight 1,650, 9 years old, extra good worker and sound, in foal to jack; black horse, weight 1,600, coming 4 years old, broke to work; black horse, coming 2 years old; 4 coming 3-year-old mules; spotted saddle bred colt, coming yearling; 3 coming yearling mules, extra good; bay mare, trotting bred, coming 6 years old, eligible to register; white Indian pony, 12 years old, gentle; bay mare 6 years old, weight, 1,100, broke to all harness, gentle.

7 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 cows, 1 fresh; 3 coming 2-year-old heifers, 1 steer calf.

12 BROOD SOWS— 7 2-year-old, cholera immune; 2 mule foot, 1 year old, immune; 4 red gilts.

IMPLEMENTS—McCormick grain binder, nearly new; J. I. Case corn planter, lister, drill, cultivator, plow, J. I. Case walking plow, J. I. Case sulkey plow, manure spreader, harrow, disc harrow, mowing machine, carriage, carriage harness, set work harness, gasoline engine and wood saw, feed grinder, corn sheller, endgate seedder, tank heater, dipping tank, sheep clipper, DeLaval cream separator, washing machine, Old Trusty incubator, cook stove, heating stove, 6 bushels extra good seed corn and other articles.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Ladies Aid of Myrtle Tree church.

JOHN APPLEBY

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer. J. D. RICHEY Clerk.

Public Sale

I will offer for sale at public auction at my farm, known as the J. S. Miller farm, 8 miles southwest of Maryville and ½ mile south of Rockford church, on

Tuesday, February 23

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the foll wing property:

8 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Consisting of 2 geldings, 5 years old, weight 3,300 and sound. This is a plumb good pair. One brood mare, smooth mouth, in foal by jack; 1 black mare 7 years old, weight about 1,500, in foal by draft horse; 1 brown mare 6 years old, weight about 1,500 pounds, in foal by draft horse; 1 bay mare 6 years old, in foal by draft horse, all sound; 2 coming yearling mules.

45 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 13 head of good milch cows, which are heavy yearlings, some with calf by side. These are a good lot of grade cows. 32 yearlings and calves, 1 high grade Angus bull. These calves are in good shape; can't help but please you.

60 HEAD OF STOCK HOGS—Weight around 100 pounds, perfectly healthy.

IMPLEMENTS—1 disk harrow; 1 new Deering binder, hasn't cut over 70 acres of grain; 1 John Deere checkrow and planter with furrow openers; 1 combined lister and drill, some rough feed.

TERMS—Credit of 3, 6 and 9 months on sums over $10, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Sums of $10 and under cash. Lunch on grounds by ladies of Rockford church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

O. D. Walker

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY DAILY PAPER IN ANY MISSOURI TOWN OF 5000 POPULATION

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NODAWAY FALLS; DID MUCH DAMAGE

NOT PASSABLE BRIDGE BETWEEN BURLINGTON AND IOWA.

TRAFFIC TIED-UP AND LANDS FLOODED

Skidmore Mail Carriers Unable to Make Routes—Roads Impassable—Higher Than Last Fall.

After being on a rampage since last Sunday, in which time several bridges in Nodaway county have been either washed away or damaged, lowlands flooded and roads made impassable, the Nodaway river is slowly receding, according to reports from along that stream.

At Braddyville, Ia., the river had fallen between six and eight feet and was almost within its banks again, at Clearmont had fallen four feet, at Burlington Junction had fallen one foot, and at Skidmore was on a standstill at noon today, according to reports received by The Democrat-Forum from these river points.

But the damage the week's flood had done, aided by drifts of logs and ice, is just becoming fully known. In fact, the real injury done to the numerous wooden trestles or bridges across the new channel of the Nodaway river was underestimated until the water had receded some, when real conditions became known.

Believe Worst is Over.

But it is generally felt along the entire stream that the crest has been reached and that within forty-eight hours the river will be within its banks in its meanderings through Nodaway county, if no further thaws or rains come.

The true condition can be judged from this report from Clearmont: "There is not a single bridge spanning the Nodaway river between Burlington Junction and the Iowa line that is now passable." Further explanation brings out that even where a bridge was not made impassable by weakening, the river had flooded it or the road leading to it to such a depth that it was unsafe to risk trying to travel across.

Foot Higher Than Last Fall.

The Burlington Junction bridge across the Nodaway river is reported in good condition, but that on account of flood waters on each side is still impassable. At Skidmore comes the same report, that the steel bridge spanning the river there is safe but that from four to five feet of water floods the roads on each side.

At Skidmore the rural mail carriers have had to abandon or change their routes, according to William Linville, cashier of the Bank of Skidmore. He reports the river there as fully a foot higher than it was during the crest of the flood last fall. This would make it higher than for the last two years at least.

Platte and 102 Receding.

Much of the bottom land along the Nodaway river is under from one to six feet of water, but this is causing little damage, it is said. One of the damages done by the flood waters was to destroy the large dam on the William Carter farm, four miles south of Burlington Junction. It was built two years ago and withstood the floods of last fall.

The formation of an ice jam above the steel bridge which the Wabash railroad is constructing between Burlington Junction and Dawson, also helped to overflow more lowlands there. It finally was dynamited and broken up, but not before some damage was done through its agencies.

The Wabash railroad officials here reported this afternoon that the Nodaway river flood had not done any damage to the bridge there nor had caused any delay in train service.

Reports this afternoon from along the Platte river are that the stream is slowly falling, but that some of the roads leading across it and the lowlands are flooded. The water is deep enough running over the north bridge, west of Ravenwood, yet today to make traffic that way impossible. The 102 river is still falling also.

DISCUSS A BRIDGE CHANGE

County Court, Engineer, Contractors Meet at Elmo Today, Relative to Improvement.

Members of the county court, County Highway Engineer John Clary, and a number of bridge constructors went to Elmo this morning to confer this afternoon relative to placing a steel bridge across the Nodaway river channel between Elmo and Clearmont. It would be taken from the old river bed, two miles west of Clearmont. A wooden trestle would be erected to replace it at the old channel.

The necessity of taking some action as quickly as possible is further brought about through the fact that the temporary wooden trestle over the channel at that point was washed out in the Nodaway flood this week. It was saved from washing entirely away by a cable. The wrecking of the Clearmont-Elmo structure resulted when a bridge washed out at Braddyville and was swept down stream and against the Clearmont span.

It later washed down near the Wabash bridge at Burlington Junction, where it has been recovered. The same bridge, between Clearmont and Elmo, was partially washed out last fall. It will probably be six months before the steel bridge over the old channel can be transferred to the new channel and the trestle over the old bed built, according to E. T, Bailey, a member of the county court.

If a satisfactory bid can be secured the contract for the transfer will be awarded today, it is said, so that the improvement can be made as soon as possible.

Suggestion is made to the county court that the road between the two towns should be straightened and the trestle put on a new line.

WELCOME 'NEW' BAPTISTS

Novel Tagging Aids "Get-Acquainted" Scheme—Music and Talks to Fully 600.

It was a real old-fashioned get-together meeting which 600 persons attended at the First Baptist church last night to mark the reception of the nearly 300 members received in the Baptist church as a result of the recent revival. They began coming before the doors were even opened, and the get-acquainted affair continued until late. Each person was tagged with this. "I am (so and so), who are you?" so that the proposition of each getting acquainted was a simple matter.

The reception began in the church basement, where, after a general handshaking a luncheon of sandwiches, pickles, doughnuts and coffee was served. Then all gathered in the church auditorium, where the evening program of music, speeches, prayers and readings was given.

It began by the entire audience singing "Old-Time Religion," and was followed by a prayer by H. W. Hull. A vocal solo by Miss Hazel Everhart came next.

The address of welcome to the new members, and old as well, was delivered by the Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor. Response was made by J. A. Speirs, representing the new members. His talk was greeted by an unusual applause from the audience.

A duet by Prof. P. O. Landon and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook, and several readings by Prof. Harry A. Miller of the State Normal school followed up the addresses. Prof. Miller responded to two encores.

WOULD LIGHT HOPKINS PARK.

Directors Seek Electric Bulbs For Civic Grounds—To Be Lively Place.

The directors of the city park of Hopkins, have taken the matter up with the Electric Light Co., with a view of having the park wired for lights, and in case satisfactory arrangements are made, it is planned to give various entertainments at the park during the summer season, the object being to raise money with which to pay interest on the park indebtedness.

The churches, too, will likely hold services at the park during the heated season and altogether the lights can be used to good advantage—Hopkins Journal.

Gilbert Spring and Sadie Large, both of Hopkins and both 36 years old, were married this morning by Probate Judge W. H. Conn. They secured the license here.

Clara Kimball Young in "LOLA" Five Acts 573 Scenes

Fern Theatre, TONIGHT, 5 and 10c

BIBLE VS. SCIENCE

CHRISTIAN EVANGELIST ANSWERS THEORISTS' DOUBTS.

CENSURS FALSE FAITHS

Sermon Subject Tonight is "Why I Am Not a Universalist"—Attendance Increasing—Adds Nine.

"The Grounds of Christian Faith" was the subject of the sermon given last night at the First Christian church by the Rev. Charles A. Finch. The audience was a larger one than any previous night and the interest in the meetings continues to increase. There were nine additions to the church at the close of the sermon. Mr. Fritz tenor, sang the solo, "What Will the Harvest Be," last night and he will sing a solo number tonight.

The subject of the Rev. Mr. Finch's sermon tonight will be "Why I Am Not a Universalist."

The evangelist last night considered the grounds of faith and discussed some of the objections urged against Christianity. He said in part:

"The words of Jesus may be compared to a tree so laden with fruit that the branches touch the ground. All that one needs to do is lift the pearls and diamonds of truth and appropriate them for ones own use. One of the great statements of Jesus is found in John 8:32, 'Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free.' Christians cannot afford to hold any belief upon which the light of investigation cannot shine. If what we believe will not bear the light of day, it belongs to the realm of darkness.

"Truth makes us free. We want to know the truth about all things. It is a poor policy to preach cream and practice skimmed milk. It is always a mistake to put a blind bridle on a young horse. We must know the truth educationally, politically, socially and religiously. Excuses are but the skin of a reason stuffed with ones own desires. The truth about the saloon is this, it is an ulcer. You can't make a division between any man and his business. The saloon is just as respectable as the man who operates it.

Some Objections Answered.

"A man says, 'I don't believe in the trinity.' The question is, 'Do you believe in Christ?' The word trinity does not occur in the Bible. Another man says, 'I can't believe.' 'Why can't you?' Faith is natural, doubt unnatural. If we believe our doubts and doubt our beliefs, only then faith is unnatural. It is natural for a child to believe.

"Sin, evil companions and skeptical literature is responsible for your unbelief. I can prescribe a course of reading that will make the ordinary individual an unbeliever in twelve months. The most healthy person alive can be reduced to invalidism in six months by following a certain regime of living. Another man objects to miracles. We are kept alive by a miracle, we came here by a miracle. Were it not for seed time and harvest and planting the miracle of God's providence and hundred million people in the United States would starve.

"It is no more wonderful that we live again than that we live now. We call everything miracle that we don't understand, and cannot perform. Fifty years ago a heavier than air machine flying in the heavens was a miracle. Another man says 'the world is outgrowing Christianity,' you just as well talk about outgrowing the sun, mercy, forgiveness, mother love. Men have fought creed statements instead of Christianity. The damnation of unbaptized infants as well as the existence of a profligate priesthood is no more Christianity than scavinger buzzards are the heralds of prosperity and plenty.

Bible and Science.

"A class of men pride themselves on their intellectual and scientific culture and profess a disagreement between the Bible and science. The Bible does not pretend to be a scientific book, but it antidates science in many statements that only recently science has found to be true. I have no quarrel with a man who regards Genesis as an allegory, but somehow or other this allegory is found to accord with the conclusions of science respecting the order of vegetable and animal life on the earth. How did Moses guess so profoundly the different stages of plant and animal life if God did not illuminate him?

"A long time ago the Bible said the blood was the life, but the doctors used to bleed a man to cure disease.

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DRURY WON 33-28

NORMAL QUINTET MADE FINAL SPURT TOO LATE TO WIN.

TIED IN FIRST HALF

Local Basket Ball Players Began Losing Last Half, But Rallied Near End—First Defeat Here.

The Maryville Normal basket ball team was defeated for the first time on the home court this season, when Drury college walked away last night with the long end of a 33-28 score.

The game was the fastest exhibition of basket ball which has been staged here this year, and it is generally conceded by the fans that the Drury aggregation of athletes have the best team which has been seen in action on the local court this season. The team was composed of experienced players, who had the best combination of qualities that a basket ball team can have—speed, weight and, by no means last, height.

Tied in First Half.

Drury started the scoring, gaining a field goal and a free throw before the Normal tallied. A pretty goal by Vandersloot, however, started the Normal machine to scoring, and until near the end of the first half the score favored the locals. Drury played a hard, rushing game and was fouled frequently, eight of the Normals' fourteen points in this section of the game being made from the foul line. Near the end of the half the Drury Panthers surged ahead, and when the period ended the score stood 14-14.

The Normal started well in the second half, adding four points to its side of the score before Drury registered. This spurt was countered by the Drury players by an effort which placed them considerably in the lead. This advantage they maintained until the end of the game.

With but two minutes to go the Normals rallied and commenced to close the gap which separated the two teams. A few more minutes of time would have played the locals in the lead. At the sound of the gun, however, the Panthers had a five-point lead.

Wetzell Drury Star.

Wetzell, the big Drury forward, was easily the star of the game, getting ten goals from the field. Davis, the other forward completed the scoring for Drury, getting three goals from the field and seven singles from the foul line.

For the Normals, Vandersloot and Scarlett played excellent games. Beside his three field goals, "Van" made 13 out of 22 tries from the free throw mark. Scarlett held the big Drury center to no goals and scored one himself.

This game places the Normal one game behind Tarkio, the leaders of the conference. The Normal still has two games to play, both of which are away from home. The team, accompanied by Coach Hanson, will leave for Cameron Thursday, February 25, where it will play Missouri Wesleyan. It will play William Jewell at Liberty the following night. The Normal now hopes to tuck both games on the safe side of its percentage column.

Plays Last Game Here.

The game of last night will probably be the last for the Normal on the home court this season.

Morris Riley of the Kansas City Athletic club refereed, and sustained his reputation of fairness and impartiality. Riley has refereed three games on the home court this year. Summary:

Maryville—	F.G.	F.	F.T.
Vandersloot	3	13	22
Leech	1	1	2
Scarlett	1	0	0
Scott	2	0	0
McClintock	0	0	0
Woodward	0	0	0
Totals	7	14	24
Drury—	F.G.	F.	F.T.
Wetzell	10	0	0
Davis	3	7	17
Marr	0	0	0
Shannon	0	0	0
Foster	0	0	0
Totals	13	7	17

Referee—Riley, K. C. A. C.

Standing of intercollegiate teams:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pr.ct.
Tarkio	7	6	1	.857
Maryville Nor.	6	4	2	.600
Central	5	3	2	.600
William Jewell	7	4	3	.571
Drury	4	2	2	.500
Cent. Wesleyan	3	0	3	.000
Mo. Wesleyan	5	0	5	.000

Mrs. Charles Manley of Barnard was shopping in Maryville yesterday.

TO QUIZ TUTORS, MARCH 5, 6

Two Days Examination for County Teachers Arranged by Superintendent Cooper.

The regular March examination for public school teachers of Nodaway county for teachers' certificates will be held in the rooms of the Maryville Business college here, Friday and Saturday, March 5 and 6. The announcement of the tutors' quizzes was made last night by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper. At least 100 will take the examination, it is believed.

The examinations will begin at 8 o'clock each morning and will continue through the day. Quizzes in the various studies will be given as follows:

Friday morning—Geography, language, algebra, orthography.

Friday afternoon—Grammar, Arithmetic, literature, reading.

Saturday morning—Civil government, U. S. history, agriculture, algebra, advanced science.

Saturday afternoon — Physiology, writing, pedagogy, literature, advanced history.

GET 3 FAIR ATTRACTIONS

Nodaway County Exhibitors Book Animal Circus, Acrobats and Performers Today.

Three attractions for the annual county fair, to be held here the last two days of August and the first four days of September, were booked this morning by officers of the Maryville-Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural association. The booking was made through F. H. Kressman, traveling representative of the F. M. Barnes fair booking agency of Chicago.

The officials and Mr. Kressman met in the office of J. F. Roelofson, an officer of the association. The attractions are: Blakes' comedy circus, of ponies, monkeys, dogs and a trick mule; the four Casters, whirlwind acrobats, and the Peerless Potters, performers of difficult tricks of the stage and the tan bark arena.

Each will give two acts, each of the seven days of the fair. Changes of program also will be made.

The principal attraction desired, which consisted by a daredevil loop-the-loop three times in automobiles, had already been booked. Other attractions will be contracted for within a few weeks.

INDICTED YEAR AGO; SURRENDER

Arthur Collins, Iowa, Gambled at Elmo, Charged—To Be Tried Next Wednesday.

Arthur Collins of College Springs, Ia., who was indicted on three counts in January, 1914, by a grand jury here of gaming, surrendered to Sheriff Edwin Wallace and Prosecuting Attorney William G. Sawyers this afternoon. He gave bond of $100 on each count for his appearance in circuit court here next Wednesday, when court will be reconvened. Collins' father-in-law, F. C. Curnutt, was surety.

Collins, together with a number of other young men, were arrested in 1913 on gambling charges. Some were tried, but several who lived in Iowa were never apprehended. They gradually are arrested or give themselves up, however.

FAREWELL FOR PASTOR.

The Rev. Love of Burlington Junction Takes New Charge Next Week.

A reception will be given tonight at the Christian church of Burlington Junction, in honor of the retiring pastor and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. John W. Love, who will leave Tuesday for St. Joseph to reside. The Rev. Mr. Love will become pastor of the Wyatt Park Christian church of that city, taking up his new duties March 1.

The Rev. Mr. Love has been pastor of the Burlington Junction church for the past three years. The reception will be in the nature of a farewell, and an invitation has been extended to all the members and friends of the church.

Marriage License Granted.

A marriage license was issued at St. Joseph yesterday to Frank Bock of Grant City and Miss Bessie Cole of Parnell.

FRENCH STEAMER SUNK BY GERMANS

SUBMARINE TORPEDOES DINORAH OFF DIEPPE—NO WARNING.

CREW MAY BE LOST; BOUND FOR DUNKIRK

Shipping Interests Anxious for Safety of Ships Through Blockade—Protection Not Feasible, U. S. Says.

By American Press.

Washington, Feb. 19.—While shipping interests continue operations on the Atlantic, every sailing is made with anxiety and fear for the safety of the ships and crew is felt, as a result of the German and English blockade. The advice of the German kaiser, however, that the United States protect its merchantment with war ships through the war zone is not looked upon as feasible.

By American Press.

Dieppe, France, Feb. 19.—A German submarine this morning torpedoed the French steamer Dinorah, bound from Havre to Dunkirk, at a point sixteen miles off Dieppa. The attack on the French steamer came without any warning, many of the members of the French crew still being asleep.

No mention of the disposition of the crew is made in the report relative to the destruction of the steamer, but it is feared all went down with the ship.

WILL NOT OBSERVE HOLIDAY

Maryville Schools Will Be in Session Monday, Washington's Birthday.

Because Friday, the day after Thanksgiving day last fall, was used as a holiday in the Maryville schools, there will be no vacation in the Maryville schools Monday, in observance of Washington's birthday, according to E. R. Utter, principal of the high school. But there will probably be some special exercises in the schools to commemorate the event, such as the singing of patriotic songs, readings on Washingtons life and character and speeches by the pupils.

Some of the rural schools of the county, however, will be closed Monday in observance of the day, especially those that did not close the day after Thanksgiving. Most of the schools of Nodaway county, however, will be in session Monday, as other school days, according to County Superintendent Bert Cooper.

MRS. COGDILL SEEKS DIVORCE.

Alleges Indignities—Were Married 30 Years—Wants Custody of Children.

A suit for divorce, after being married thirty years, was brought in circuit court here this morning by Mrs. Gertrude Cogdill against Walter Scott Cogdill. She says they were married in 1885 and continued to live together until last fall. They are the parents of five children, two of whom are minors. They lived near Guilford.

She alleges indignities, in that he cursed her, mistreated her and endangered her life. It is said he is the same Cogdill who now is charged by the state with common assault, which is now pending in circuit court here.

She seeks custody of the two minor children and alimony.

THE WEATHER

Rain tonight and Saturday; colder.

Better Than Ever

All of our Spring Stock and Special Sample Books are in. We are booking the Spring Work; place your order with us and we will strive to please.

Arnett Decorating Co.

Tonight---

THE SOWER REAPS—
A Political Drama in Two Parts

AT DAWN—
The theme of this drama might be said to be a few truthful reflections on a well marked type of character.

FATTY—In a Keystone Comedy.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. Bert Cooper for county superintendent of schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election on Tuesday, April 6.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector of Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention. CLARENCE GREEN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for township assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

ED F. HAMLIN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township assessor of Polk township. E. E. TILTON.

DRAG THE DIRT ROADS NOW.

County Engineer Says Farmers Should Guard Against "Bad" Spring Highways.

Drag the roads now.

That is the advice of John H. Clary, county highway engineer. And he emphatically states that the farmers can't get out too quickly on the dirt highways of Nodaway county to guard against almost impassable roads later in the winter and early spring.

"Of course, in some places the roads may be too soft to drag properly yet," explained Mr. Clary, "but where this is the case another dragging could be made later, and thereby insuring a much smoother and better graded road than where only one dragging is performed.

"Some of the farmers over the county have already begun dragging, and much to their benefit, but the really worst roads still go unmolested."

Worth, Worth county, is to have a new newspaper, which will be published by F. A. Kallett, editor of the King City Democrat. This will be the third weekly published by Kallett, the Darlington News having been started a few weeks ago.

TO HOLD MONTHLY SERVICES.

Plans Made for Religious Meetings at County Farm.

Plans were made Wednesday afternoon at the monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U., at the First Christian church, for conducting religious services once each month at the county sanitarium. The date will be arranged later and a speaker will be secured for each service.

A program day will also be held during the month of March, when a lecturer will given an address on some topic vital to the work of the W. C. T. U.

The Wednesday program was an interesting one and was heard by a good crowd. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. J. D. Frank, and a reading on "Health and Heredity" was given by Mrs. R. L. Finch. The musical program was conducted by Mrs. F. P. Robinson, and special numbers were given by the leader, and a solo was given by Harry Fritz, who is in charge of the musical part of the evangelistic services at the First Christian church.

WILSON O. K., EUREKANS SAY.

Normal Society Decided President's Policy is Not Weak Nor Detrimental.

After a rather lengthy and a decidedly heated debate the judges hearing the discussion of the Eurekan literary society of the Normal yesterday afternoon on President Wilson's policies decided that Wilson was all right—that is, that the negative debaters had won. The resolution in full was, "Resolved, that President Wilson's policy is characterized by a weakness which is detrimental to the best interests of the United States."

S. W. Skelton and Harry Clayton argued for, while Harold Ramsey and W. A. Powers took the negative side of the question.

There Is No Question

but that indigestion and the distressed feeling which always goes with it can be promptly relieved by taking a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. 25c a box.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

VICTROLA IN SCHOOL.

Garfield Pupils Purchase Musical Instrument for Daily Use.

A victrola will be placed in the Garfield ward school to be used in giving the various musical programs of the week and as an educational feature for the pupils.

The teachers and pupils will earn the money to buy the instrument. They have planned various ways of doing this. The first one will be a candy sale, to be held Saturday at the Price-McNeal store.

YOUR FRECKLES

Need Attention in February and March or Face May Stay Covered.

Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish it to look well the rest of the year. The February and March winds have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that may stay all summer unless removed. Now is the time to use othine—double strength.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of othine—double strength, and even a few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.

TO HOLD PATRIOTIC SERVICES.

Annual Observance of D. A. R. to Be at Christian Church Sunday.

The annual patriotic service for the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the First Christian church. The address will be given by the pastor, the Rev. Robert Lyle Finch.

The church will be handsomely decorated with patriotic emblems, the central feature of which will be the new silk flag purchased by the D. A. R. to be used in its chapter work.

The ritualistic part of the service will combine that of the D. A. R. and the Sons of the Revolution. A specially prepared musical program will be given by the church choir, and there will be two solo numbers. Harry Fritz, tenor, will sing "Hail Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," and Mrs. F. P. Robinson, accompanied by a double quartet, will sing the obligato of the Recessional by De Koven. The subject of the Rev. Mr. Finch's address will be "Washington, the Genius of Patriotism."

An invitation has been extended to the W. R. C., G. A. R. and the Elks lodge to attend the services in a body.

BOY COASTER FATALLY HURT.

Cecil Rubart, Hopkins, Died From Injuries Received When Sled Collides

Cecil Rubart, whose parents have moved onto the J. W. Vanatta farm, north of Hopkins, died last Monday morning from injuries received while coasting.

The lad received his injury by the stopping of the sled, which had been going at a high rate of speed, the result being that he was thrown face downward across the sled. He was injured internally.—Hopkins Journal.

RURAL CARRIERS TO MEET.

Fourth District Association to Hold Semi-Annual Session at St. Joseph Monday.

The Rural Letter Carriers' association of the fourth congressional district will hold its semi-annual meeting at the federal building in St. Joseph next Monday night. Every rural carrier in the district is invited to attend. Several of the state officers will be present. Delegates to the state convention to be held at Marshall July 2 and 3 will be chosen.

SISTER OF F. BARMANN DEAD.

Mrs. Ed Schilder Succumbs at Her Home in Ohio.

Frank Barmann received word this morning of the death of his sister, Mrs. Ed Schilder of Chillicothe, O., who died last night at her home. Mrs. Schilder has frequently visited in Maryville at her brother's home, and is known by many friends of the Barmann family.

Beside her brother, in Maryville Mrs. Schilder leaves two brothers, Charles Barmann of Arkoe and Joseph Barmann of Savannah, and a sister, who is a resident of Chillicothe.

TO HOLD DEFERRED DEBATES.

Toad Hollow Society Will Decide Whether Cattle or Hogs Are More Profitable.

Two rural school communities will hold debates tonight, they being postponed from last week. The Toad Hollow Literary society of the Gray Grove school will debate the resolution, "That cattle raising is more profitable than raising hogs."

The Dawsonville Literary society of the Dawson school will debate tonight on the protective tariff question.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

Melvin Heflin Succumbs at Home of Daughter in Kansas.

Melvin Heflin, aged 76, a former resident of this city, and widely known over the county, died at 2 o'clock this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will D. Bishop of Colony, Kan. Mrs. Heflin died about a year ago. Mr. Heflin leaves a niece, Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, of West Second street, and other relatives who are residents of Nodaway county.

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Has 161 Young Chickens.

Mrs. Guy Mutz, who lives four miles southwest of Maryville, perhaps can rightly lay claim to having the first spring chickens, or at least the most for this time of year. Mrs. Mutz now has 161 of the little chicks, while more will be hatched soon.

Many People In This Town

never really enjoyed a meal until we advised them to take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.

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Ends Short Court Session.

Judge W. C. Ellison returned yesterday from Grant City, where he presided this week over the February term of circuit court of Worth county. The session lasted only three days. There were no jury trials.

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Dry Goods

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DO NOT FORGET

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HAS IT AT THE LOWEST PRICE

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MOTHER! THE CHILD IS COSTIVE, BILIOUS

Don't hesitate! A laxative is necessary if tongue is coated, breath bad or stomach sour.

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrup. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Holds Funeral Services.

Funeral services for Mrs. Joseph Proctor, living east of Pickering, who died yesterday, were held at 1 o'clock today at the family home, conducted by the Rev. S. P. Stillman, pastor of the Christian church at Pickering.

Infant Daughter Dies.

Marjorie Nadine, the 17-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sloan of Clearmont, died at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Death followed a short illness of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon.

May See Olympic Players.

The most of the players on the Normal team plan to go to Kansas City, Saturday, February 27, to witness the big indoor track meet held at Convention hall, in which several Olympic stars will contest.

Arrives from Tarkio.

Miss Hazel Trout of Tarkio arrived in Maryville Thursday night to spend the week end with her sister, Miss Ruth Trout, who is attending the Normal, and her cousins, Misses Helen Todd and Mary Margaret Richey.

Medic Takes Special Work.

Dr. F. R. Anthony will leave this afternoon for New York City, where he intends to spend a month to take some special medical instruction in the post-graduate hospital there, under Dr. G. A. Denning. Dr. Denning has just returned from London, and, being a personal friend of Dr. Anthony, has offered to teach him some of the newer medical methods.

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Notice to the Public

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Toilet powders, tooth powders, toothbrushes, shaving and toilet soaps, perfumes and massage creams. All of the finest quality. Special attention paid to prescriptions; fresh drugs only are used. This work is under the supervision of a qualified pharmacist. Have you ever tried

Scot Tissue Towels

They Save Time and Labor

Not until you actually try them can you have any idea in how many ways ScotTissue-s save work. For absorbing grease from fried foods, absorbing spilt liquids, polishing cut glass, mirrors, etc. Use them in the kitchen as towels—save washing and your good linen towels. Try them.

Koch's Pharmacy

Here's some boot—

"Buddy"

A PURE Rubber Boot

$4.50

Constructed for long Service and Great Endurance.

THIS RUBBER BOOT has reinforced heel and vamp all the way round. This is the one very important feature, because it gives great protection to the boot where the greatest wear takes place Lined with fine duck.

A Boot for Farmers and Stockmen. In fact anyone who wants a boot for service will find that this one has the very best quality.

Let Us Show You "Buddy"

If you need boots and can't conveniently call at the store, phone in and we will mail them to you promptly. No trouble to us and perhaps a convenience to you.

Montgomery Shoe Co

THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

Returns from Texas.

M. F. Gingrich, who owns the farm six miles northwest of Maryville, now occupied by E. A. Cockayne, returned yesterday from Texas, where he bought 1,280 acres of farm property. Mr. Gingrich is not overly satisfied with the Texas soil. He sold at a gross profit of $4 per acre, but sunk $4,600 alone for a well, besides making other improvements. He will probably relocate on his farm.

The Gingrich family will return to Nodaway county within a short time.

Des Moines Visitor Leaves.

Mrs. Rosa Marshall of Des Moines, Ia., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Utter, left yesterday for Leon, Ia., to visit Mrs. Orr Stone.

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We are Receiving Complete New Lines In Men's Clothing.

With the spring weather first beginning to appear you will no doubt be thinking of lighter and new clothing. Let us show you these lines now while the stock is new and complete. You will be able to select something much easier and from a greater variety.

Nifty Collegian Suits and other well known makes. Hats, Shirts and Ties of the latest designs. We'll be glad to show this new spring stock to you whether you buy or not. Don't wait.

M. Nusbaum

What's In a Name?

When it comes to Cigars—a whole lot. There's more real pleasure inside the wrapper of a

TRAVELER 5¢ CIGAR

than any "fiver" I ever smoked and say—I've "burned" all kinds from Kennebunkport to Kalamazoo! Now it's a *TRAVELER* for mine because—well just try one and you'll have the answer.

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W. R. C. to Meet.

The Women's Relief Corps will hold a meeting at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in their hall.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart were the hosts of a dinner party today noon, at which their guests were Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and Mrs. S. A. Roach of Barnard and E. T. Noble of Okmulgee, Okla.

Mrs. Kemp Hostess.

Mrs. S. H. Kemp entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church at its regular business meeting yesterday afternoon. The formal business matters of the society were settled and plans started for the annual fall bazaar.

Celebrates Wedding Anniversary.

Wednesday marked the thirty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Duncan, living near Quitman, and to celebrate the event they gave a dinner party, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deneen, Miss Dorothy Marjorie Deneen, Miss Lois Margaret Thompson and Shelton Thompson.

Entertains Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen, living south of the city, entertained the members of their club last night at their home with a pleasant evening spent with games and music. In entertaining Mrs. Allen had the assistance of her mother, Mrs. Feuqua, who is making her home with the Allens this winter. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ozra Gray and children, Mrs. E. P. Powell and her guest, Mrs. Walter Gilliam of Salt Lake City, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers and family, Miss Frankie Masters, Robert Powell, Clyde Auten and Mr. Wray.

Birthday Surprise.

Bert Kelley, living near Quitman, celebrated his birthday anniversary Monday, and a large party of his friends gathered unannounced at his home that evening to observe the day with a social time. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boring, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deneen, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Erma Grimsley, Mrs. Lowe, Misses Mabel Marie and Lora Lowe, Pauline, Kenneth and Shelton Thompson, Gladys Hiland, Herman and Lois Thompson, Glenn, Thomas, Raleigh and Fred Adams, Edwin Kuster, Anna and Royal Kuster, Ruth and Robert Grimsley, Pearl and Dorothy Deneen, Lucile Duncan and Lois Nichols.

PICKERING MERCHANT RETIRES.

C. A. Wolfers Resigns as Head of Mercantile Company—Edward Herbert, Hopkins, Succeeds.

Charles A. Wolfers, president of the Wolfers Mercantile company of Pickering, has decided to retire from active work, and this week the management of the business at that place was turned over to Edward Herbert of Hopkins, according to the Hopkins Journal.

Mr. Herbert will move his family to Pickering after the school term ends. He was with the Wolfers Mercantile company until a year ago, when he retired to go on the road for a shoe company.

MANY SPECIALS AT CONCERT.

Solos, Duets and a Female Quartet Will Feature Sunday Musicale.

A number of special numbers of vocal and instrumental solos, a clarinet duet and a quartet of high school girls will feature the band concert to be held in the Empire theater, beginning at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The program:

March, "Monstrat Viam".....Joy
Overture to "William Teli"....Rossini
Medley one-step, "When You Wore a Tulip and I Wore a Big Red Rose" .....Wenrich
Vocal solo, "Mavourneen".....
.....Margaret Lang
Miss Besse Scott.
Clarinet duet, "The Two Little Bullfinches" .....Kling
Harold Maulding and Albert Butherus.
Grand sacred potpourri, "Morning Light" .....Barnhouse
"Lullaby," from opera "Ermine"....
Amy Clark, Katherine Chittenden, Doris Sayler and Ruby Irwin.
Miss Rooker, accompanist.
Bass solo, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep".....Rollinson
Marion Minter.
Egyptian intermezzo, "Mermaid of the Nile".....Hein
"Fox Trot".....Arthur Pryor

FORMER RESIDENT LOSES FOOT.

Engine Crushes Leg of Chester Hartman, Son of Mrs. George A. Hartman.

Chester Hartman of Great Falls, Mont., a resident of Barnard until nine years ago, and a son of George A. Hartman, 622 East Fourth street, had one of his legs crushed beneath a railroad locomotive, according to advice received by his father yesterday afternoon. Hartman, who is a fireman on the Great Northern railroad, was beneath the engine, making a slight repair, when the engineer suddenly started it.

Before Hartman could jump clear of the rails one of his legs was crushed beneath the wheels, between the ankle and the knee, necessitating amputation. It is probable another amputation will be necessary.

It is said Hartman would have been able to have jumped clear of the engine had not his clothing caught. He was last in Maryville about six weeks ago, when his mother died.

40,980 KIDS PROTEST SALOONS

Senator Craig, Files Sunday School Anti-Liquor Petition in Legislature

Senator Craig of Maryville, has presented in the state legislature, a remarkable petition, containing 40,980 names of Sunday school pupils in the state.

"You have made liberal provision for the protection of livestock and fruit trees," reads the petition, "but have failed to protect us against dramshops and the dreadful scourge of alcoholism."

Senator Craig asked that the petition be filed in the "state archives" in the basement of the supreme court building.

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One of the best known and most reliable tissue builders,
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is both a flesh builder and nerve tonic. Pleasant to take. Easy to digest.
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Fern Showed "The Bargain."

The six-reel western feature film of the Paramount company, "The Bargain," was shown to large audiences at the Fern theater both last night and the night preceding. The acting of William S. Hart as the villain was especially commendable.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

"The Clothes That Reflect Your Personality"

Clean-cut lines and sober-sense designs give clothes the character most men like to show.

Fit is the foundation of good looks in clothes; when clothes fit from the first, they're usually a fit to the last.

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Canada Guest Arrives.

Mrs. Louise Jacoby of Canada, who has been visiting Mrs. T. L. Dowling of Hopkins, arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones.

William Hollis of Burlington Junction, who had his ankle broken in a fall recently, is able to walk with crutches now.

The Ladies of
St. Patrick's Church
Will Give a
MARKET
at
Parle's Drug Store
TOMORROW

With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most eldery people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is neccessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need **My Kind.**

H. L. RAINES
Jeweler and Optician
110 W. 3rd, St.

Are You Spending Your Money As Fast As You Get It?

The man who spends his money as fast as he gets it is not giving any serious thought as to his future welfare. There is hardly a man who makes money that could not each week be putting aside a small amount to protect himself from want in years to come.

Start a savings account today, add to it as often as you can and you will be surprised to find how much you are saving. It will be the very money that you have been spending foolishly.

It takes a small amount indeed to start a savings account with us.

And it will be the best start you could possibly make to protect your future well being.

Farmers Trust Company
"HOME OF SAVINGS"
Maryville, - Missouri

WOULD REPEAL SCHOOL LAW.

Legislative Measure Changes Apportionment from Attendance to Enumeration Plan.

A hard fight will have to be made in this legislature by educators to prevent the repeal of the law enacted by the forty-sixth general assembly providing for the apportionment of school money upon a basis of attendance and number of teachers employed, instead of upon enumeration, the old plan, which was abandoned in 1911.

Representative Cook of Ray county has introduced a measure to repeal the new apportionment law, under which school attendance and school spirit in Missouri have greatly increased, according to the report of William P. Evans, former state superintendent of public schools.

This report shows that attendance in Missouri public schools increased under the operation of this law from 75,965,726 days in 1912 to 83,000,000 days in 1914. The incentive to close attendance is large by reason of the fact that the higher the attendance in the various counties of the state the larger amount of state school moneys will be obtained.

This big gain in total days of school attendance in Missouri was made in the face of a decrease in enumeration from 1,005,092 to 975,504.

Representative J. W. McKnight of Gentry county is leading the fight against the repeal of the new apportionment law in the house, and State Senator Charles F. Carter in the senate.

"To repeal this apportionment law now would be to retard educational advancement in Missouri," said McKnight. "It would mean the discarding of a good progressive piece of school legislation which has given almost universal satisfaction, and under which the schools have shown wonderful improvement to take up an old archaic law which was so defective in its workings that the people of the state demanded the change."

"The new apportionment law must be retained upon the statute books if possible," said Senator Carter. "Missouri wants to take no backward step in the matter of education. I sponsored this law in the forty-sixth general assembly."

The proponents of the Cook law to return to the enumeration basis of apportioning the state funds claim that under the operations of the new apportionment law that the city districts have obtained the greatest support from the state

McKnight upset this argument completely by figures which show that St. Louis gets from the state but 12.5 per cent of the amount which it pays out in teachers' salaries and that Jackson county gets from the state but 10.1 per cent as much as it raises in local taxes for teachers' wages. The average for the state is 22.4 per cent of the total paid out in teachers' salaries.

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We thank you for the inquiry and will be glad to give you the best possible information at all times.

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And if you are looking for a CAST FURNACE let us give you a brief description of the ***WISE CAST FURNACE*** one of the best of its kind in the market. Built right, Duplex Grate, 20th Century Fire Pot, Guaranteed, Self Cleaning Radiator, Large Casing giving the proper amount of Free Air Space.

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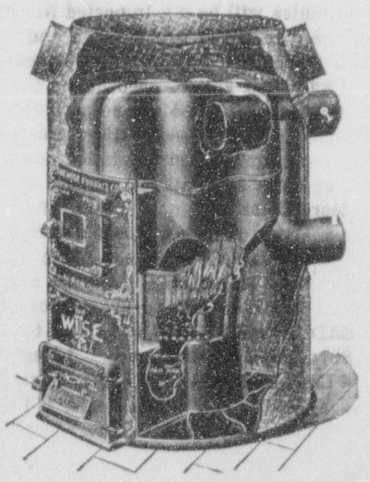

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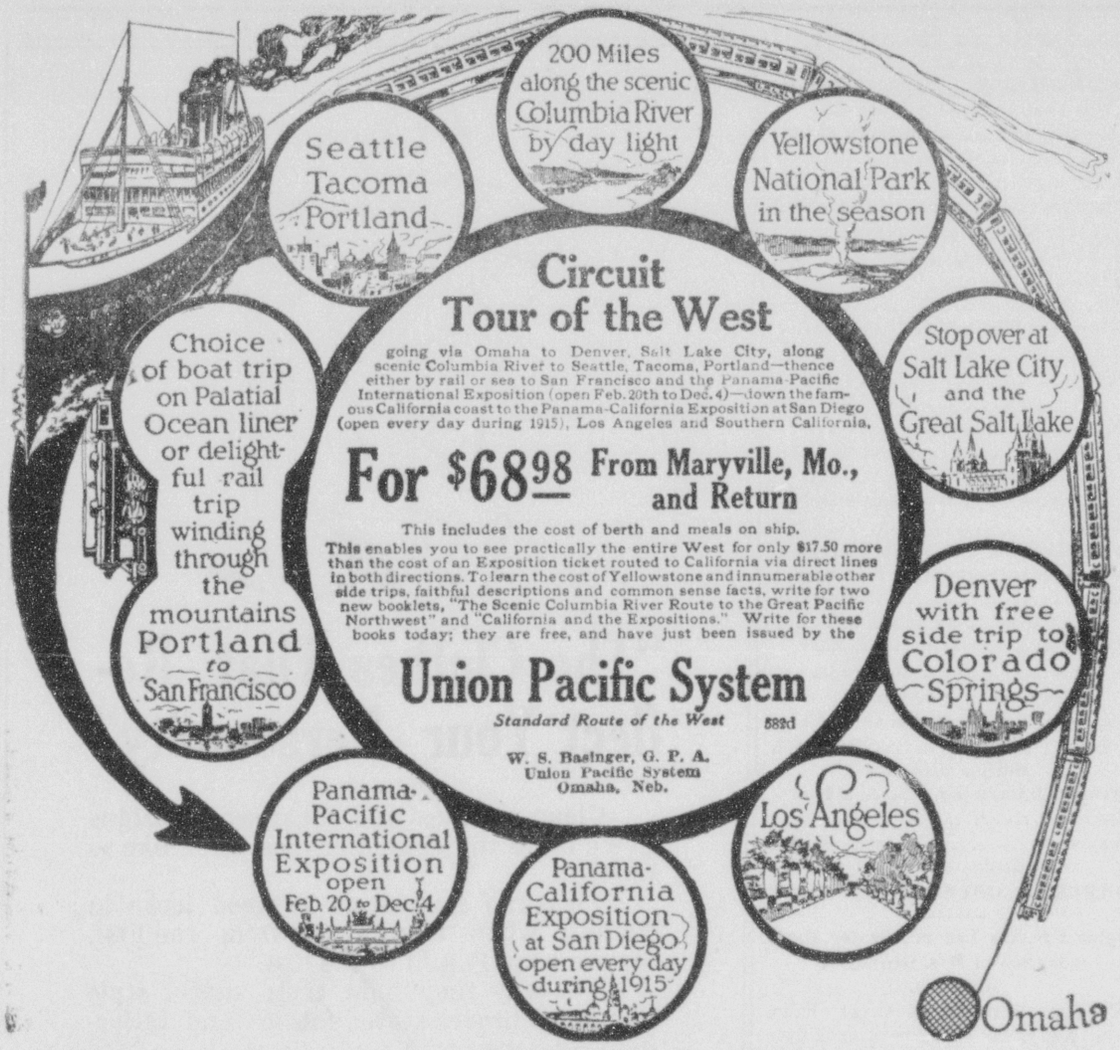
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Los Angeles
Omaha

May Move to South Dakota.

L. O. Guisinger, who recently held a sale at his former home near Barnard, left yesterday for Centerville, S. D., where he expects to locate, Mr. Guisinger has been visiting friends and relatives in Maryville and the county for the last week, or since returning from Birch Tree, where he had intended to locate.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
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Office over Farmers Trust Company.
Maryville, Mo.

"Julia L." Again Wins.

"Julia L," one of Ben Jones' young fillies, of Parnell, took first money at Juarez, Mexico, Friday. This was her third race and she has won all of them. Her time in the last race was 39 3-5 seconds for three and one-half furlongs. "Asa Herndon," another one of his horses, took first money in the mile race on the same day. Time, 1:42.

Here from Kansas City.

Mrs. M. E. Ummethun of Kansas City arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ed G. Orear.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Closing Out Sale

Having decided to leave the state, I will sell at auction on what is known as the old Leslie Lewis farm, 10½ miles northeast of Maryville, and 6½ miles northwest of Ravenwood, 1 mile west and ½ mile north of Harmony church, commencing at 10 a. m.,

Tuesday, Feb. 23

6 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 smooth-mouthed sorrel mare in foal by jack, 1 yearling horse colt and 1 weanling colt, 1 span of coming 2-year-old mules, good ones; 1 mare coming 10 years old. May sell a brown team coming 6 and 7 years old.

10 HEAD OF CATTLE—9 milch cows, part of them have calves by side; 1 yearling bull.

IMPLEMENTS—1 8-foot Acme binder, run two years; 1 hay rake, 1 riding lister and drill combined; 2 riding cultivators, 1 wagon and rack, 1 Black Hawk corn planter, drill and check row, good as new; 1 16-inch Case riding plow, 1 bobsled, 1 3-section harrow, about 1,000 bushels of corn in crib to be sold in lots of 100 bushels or more, to be weighed over the scales on the Preston Seafers farm, about 250 bushels of oats, some household goods.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months time on approved notes bearing 8 per cent from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with. Lunch served by the ladies of Harmony church.

Charles Evans, Auctioneer.
Fay Casteel, Clerk.

Frank West

PUBLIC SALE

The S. C. Pistole farm where I have resided for the past 11 years, has been sold, and I must give possession of same by March 1, so I will sell at public sale at the above mentioned farm, 6 miles east and 1 mile south of Hopkins; 5 miles west and 1 mile north of Sheridan, and 10 miles south of Bedford, Iowa, on

Thursday, February 25, 1915

Begnining at 10::00 a. m. sharp

24 HORSES AND MULES—1 bay mare, 5-yr-old, wt. 1,500; 1 sorrel mare, 4-yr-old, in foal, wt. 1,450; 1black mare, 4-yr-old, in foal, 1,350; 1 black mare, 5-yr-old, in foal; 1 sorrel mare, 4-yr-old, in foal, wt. 1,350; 1 gray mare, 6-yr-old, wt. 1,300; 1 gray horse, 4-yr-old, wt. 1,350; 1 sorrel horse, 3-yr-old, wt. 1,150; 1 black horse, 5-yr-old, wt. 1,200. This horse is broke single and is positively safe for women and children. 1 span driving horses, wt. 2,000, 4and 6-yrs-old; 7 coming yearling colts, good size and colors. These horses are Norman bred with plenty of size, action and quality. 5 head coming 2-yr-old mules. **Imported Stallion and Pedigreed Jack for sale.** In my offerings of horses and mules will be my Imported Norman stallion, Mosseux, No. 56404, one of the best horses in this country, and Big Jim, a good, heavy boned Jack with white points and weighing 1,040—guaranteed to be all right in every way and a sure foal getter—recorded in the standard Jack and Jennette book of America, record No. 20357, papers furnished on day of sale.

81 HEAD OF CATTLE—1 pedigreed 5-yr-old Shorthorn bull, easily made weigh ton, good herd header; 16 milch cows, some with calves by side and balance to be fresh soon, all full blooded Shorthorns and are extra fine; 20 2-yr-old steers, mostly my own raising and are also full blooded Shorthorns; 44 coming yearling Shorthorns, all dehorned and vaccinated, a fine bunch.

33 HEAD OF HOGS—33 Duroc-Jersey brood sows, 13 of them being tried sows, balance last March gilts, good size and will forra wabout April 1. These sows are all full blooded and are immune by the double treatment.

78 HEAD OF SHEEP—77 ewes due to lamb April 1. This is a good bunch of Shropshrie breeding ewes. 1 Registered Shropshire buck.

FARM IMPLEMENTS HAY, ETC—8 dozen Rhode Island Red pullets and a few cockerels, 1000 oak fence posts, 150 loads of stove wood, Dain hay loader, good as new; 2-row cultivator, work harness, disc harrow, some good timothy hay in barn.

TERMS:—Sums of $10.00 and under cash; on sums over this amount a credit 3, 6 or 9 months will be given bankable notes bearing 8 per cent from date.

COLS. CHAS. EVANS, CHILCOTE BROS. & CUMMINGS, Auctioneers.
VOLLEY SANDERS, Clerk

John M. Griffin

GAYNOR CHRISTIAN LADIES, LUNCH.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA, GAS OR INDIGESTION

Each "Pape's Diapepsin" digests 3000 grains food, ending all stomach misery in five minutes.

Time it' Pape's Diapepsin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as sono as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debiiitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin' 'to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 300.

Hogs—34,000. Market strong; top, $6.60. Estmate tomorrow, 18,000.

Sheep—11,000. Market steady to slow.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—10,000. Market steady; top, $6.75.

Sheep—8,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—6,000. Market slow; top, $6.60.

Sheep—300. Market steady.

Samuel Kemp Ill.

Samuel Kemp of Quitman has been seriously ill for the past week.

BILBE VS. SCIENCE

(Continued from page 1.)

Harvey discovered the circulation of the blood and proved that it was life to every particle of the body. Paul said: 'God hath made of one blood all nations.' Before, men thought that the blood of the white and black man was different, today science states that under the microscope the blood corpuscles in all races seem to be the same.

"Science admits that there are four kinds of flesh, but the Corinthian letter stated that a long time before science was born. Before Galileo invented this telescope only a few thousand stars could be counted with the naked eye, but God said to Abraham that his seed should be as the stars of Heaven and the sand of the sea, innumerable. Today the telescope proves that the stars are as the sands. The Bible said 'He hath spread the north over the empty places' and the most powerful telescopes prove it true.

Bible Read Everywhere.

"False religions place the earth on a turtle's back, the Greeks taught it was upheld upon the shoulders of Atlas. The Bible never makes any silly statements of that nature. I believe the Bible for what it has done for the race. Said the great scholar, Mathew Arnold, 'There is not a place ten miles square on the earth where the Bible is not read, that human life is held sacred, or woman's virtue respected.' The doctrine that the grave ends all Carlyle called 'the philosophy of dirt.' It crushes human hope and makes human striving worthless. The human heart is fed on the hope of immortality and Christ is the answer to the great question, 'if a man die shall he live again.'

Fiddlers' Contest Tonight.

A fiddlers' contest will be held in Elmo tonight, under the auspices of the Elmo band. A number of the old time violinists are expected to compete for honors tonight.

A Bald Head Only Indicates that the scalp has been neglected. We recommend that you use Rexall "93" Hair Tonic
Kills the germ that causes the hair to fall out and will keep the scalp healthy.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Holds Closing Out Sale.

A public auction of thirteen head of horses, fifty cattle, eighty hogs and farm implements and grain was held by Isaac J. Crossan & Son, at the Crossan farm, 3½ miles southeast of Maryville, today.

John Fisher, who lives east of Maryville, left Wednesday night for St. Louis where he will spend several days on business.

Of Course
Flowers
Would be
Appropriate
The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

Public Mule Sale

I will sell at the Livery Barn at Bolckow, Missouri, on

Wednesday, February 24

Sale opens at 1:00 p. m.

48 HEAD HORSES and MULES, Extra good—30 Head of these mules are coming 3 years old and are the best that I could buy as weanlings, mostly mare mules and well matched. Some of these mules weigh 1100 pounds now.

10 head of good broke mules, ranging in age from 4 to 9 years old and are extra good ones.

A well matched pair of chunks 3 years old and broke. 1 draft horse coming 4 years old, weight about 1400 pounds; 1 good combination horse 1 Menlo King mare; 1 Royal Chester colt, one year old. 1 of the best Shetland ponies every offered at public sale. If you want a good pair or a car load come to this sale for they will positively sell to the highest bidder,

TERMS:—6, 9 or 12 months on bankable note bearing 7 per cent interest from date.

We have some other animals not listed that will be offered for sale. Bolckow is on the Creston branch of the C. B. & Q. Railroad 26 miles north of St. Joseph.

W. D. Gibson and
C. C. Evans, Auctioneers
W. W. Craig, Clerk

Frank J. Craig

DEMOCRAT-FORUM WANT ADS

For Results. For Results

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertio minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupt insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion

For Rent.

FOR RENT—5-room cottage on East First street Call G. A. Fite, Farmers phone 17. 17-19

FOR RENT—20 acres adjoining city limits, well improved, good location for small dairy or truck garden. See Joseph Jackson, Jr. 8-tf

FOR RENT—House on South Mulberry known as Thorp property; modern except heat. Inquire T. L. Wilderman. 16-20

HOUSE FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, close in. Phone 556. 17-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—6 collie pups. Inquire of Jess Dowden, Farmers phone 115. 13-19

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11 26-tf

FOR SALE—Two high grade yearling bulls, 1 Hereford and 1 Shorthorn. No better in the country. Elmer Fraser. 12-18

FOR SALE—Old Trusty incubators, delivered, freight paid to any station at factory price. E. L. Andrews. 30-tf

FOR SALE—Cord and stove wood, ash, oak and hickory. S. J. DeArmond, 324 East Third. Hanamo phone 3319. 17-19

FOR SALE—2 dozen good hens. Mrs. Marion F. Smith, 215 West Fifth. Farmers phone 52-12. 17-19

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One good 5-passenger Buick car, driven by me for two years. F. P. Reuillard. 19-22

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. R. I. Red cocks and cockerels, $1.00 and $2.00 each. Mrs. S. C. Donnel, Clearmont, Mo., Farmers phone 9-23 out of Clearmont. 18-22

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A farm hand for coming season. Roy Lippman, Hanamo 1-L. 18-20

FRESH STALK FIELD OPEN—5c day for cattle. L. D. Lynch, at Prather farm. 18-20

WANTED—Some sucking calves, no Jerseys. Roy Lippman, Hanamo 1-L. 18-20

Bran $1.25, shorts $1.50 per 100, in 500-pound lots or more at the mill. Glover & Alexander. 13-tf

BRAN, $1.20 per cwt; shorts, $1.45 cwt; choice alfalfa hay, $16.50 ton; prairie hay, $11.50 ton; tame hay, $17.00 ton. Glover & Alexander. 18-20

Dance at the W. O. W. hall Saturday night. Everybody invited. 18-20

SPECIAL SALE—Soft stovewood, $3.00; hard stovewood, $4.00 a load. All you can get on with sideboards, delivered. Saunders Bros. 10-tf

ALFALFA—Barn browned, first crop, sweet, leafy, $14.50. Third crop, good color, sweet leaf, $16.50. On Burlington track. Elmer Fraser.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK—Bran, cwt, $1.25; Shorts, cwt, $1.50; single sack at store. In quantities: Shorts, cwt, $1.45; bran, cwt, $1.20, at Wabash warehouse. When you are looking for bargains see us. We've got 'em. These prices are strictly cash. Yowell & Sons. 15-tf

LOST—On Third street, between Linville and Burlington station, dark brown fur muff, black lining. Return here. 18-20

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

FOR RENT—6-room house, water and lights, good location. E. E. Lloyd, phone 5296. 19-22

LOST—Gold charm with letters "E. W. G." Return to Ed Gray at First National bank. 19-22

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Farm For Sale

The J. M. Neal farm of 120 acres, 5½ miles northeast of Maryville, well improved, good house and barn, windmill, water piped to all lots. Will be sold at Sheriff's Sale at the Court house, **February 24, between the hours of 1 and 2:30 p. m.**

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, 6 miles northeast of Maryville and 2 miles south of Myrtle Tree church

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24

the following property:

14 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—black mare, weight 1,650, 10 years old, good one and sound; bay mare, weight 1,650, 9 years old, extra good worker and sound, in foal to jack; black horse, weight 1,600, coming 4 years old, broke to work; black horse, coming 2 years old; 4 coming 3-year-old mules; spotted saddle bred colt, coming yearling; 3 coming yearling mules, extra good; bay mare, trotting bred, coming 6 years old, eligible to register; white Indian pony, 12 years old, gentle; bay mare 6 years old, weight, 1,100, broke to all harness, gentle.

7 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 cows, 1 fresh; 3 coming 2-year-old heifers, 1 steer calf.

13 BROOD SOWS— 7 2-year-old, cholera immune; 2 mule foot, 1 year old, immune; 4 red gilts.

IMPLEMENTS—McCormick grain binder, nearly new; J. I. Case corn planter, lister, drill, cultivator, plow, J. I. Case walking plow, J. I. Case sulkey plow, manure spreader, harrow, disc harrow, mowing machine, carriage, carriage harness, set work harness, gasoline engine and wood saw, feed grinder, corn sheller, endgate seedder, tank heater, dipping tank, sheep clipper, DeLaval cream separator, washing machine, Old Trusty incubator, cook stove, heating stove, 6 bushels extra good seed corn and other articles.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Ladies Aid of Myrtle Tree church.

JOHN APPLEBY

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer. J. D. RICHEY Clerk.

Public Sale

I will offer for sale at public auction at my farm, known as the J. S. Miller farm, 8 miles southwest of Maryville and ½ mile south of Rockford church, on

Tuesday, February 23

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the foll wing property:

8 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Consisting of 2 geldings, 5 years old, weight 3,300 and sound. This is a plumb good pair. One brood mare, smooth mouth, in foal by jack; 1 black mare 7 years old, weight about 1,500, in foal by draft horse; 1 brown mare 6 years old, weight about 1,500 pounds, in foal by draft horse; 1 bay mare 6 years old, in foal by draft horse, all sound; 2 coming yearling mules.

45 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 13 head of good milch cows, which are heavy yearlings, some with calf by side. These are a good lot of grade cows. 32 yearlings and calves, 1 high grade Angus bull. These calves are in good shape; can't help but please you.

60 HEAD OF STOCK HOGS—Weight around 100 pounds, perfectly healthy.

IMPLEMENTS—1 disk harrow; 1 new Deering binder, hasn't cut over 70 acres of grain; 1 John Deere checkrow and planter with furrow openers; 1 combined lister and drill, some rough feed.

TERMS—Credit of 3, 6 and 9 months on sums over $10, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Sums of $10 and under cash. Lunch on grounds by ladies of Rockford church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

O. D. Walker